

PROFITEERS IN SUGAR WILL BE PROSECUTED BY PALMER

WILL ALLOW GERMANY ARMY OF 200,000

LOWER PRICE NOW IS PROMISED

NO UNTEERS MUST BE DISSOLVED

Force, Than Treaty Provisions Believed Necessary

ALLIES HAVE NO FEAR NOW

Further Delay in Signing Protocol May Result

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The clause in the peace treaty providing a maximum strength for Germany's regular army of 100,000 probably will be changed to allow a maximum of at least 200,000 it was learned Friday.

The allies prefer a larger standing army to the present German plan of auxiliary units which now total with the regulars about 1,000,000 men, it was said. The treaty at least 100,000 is necessary to allow the allies to effect the dissolution of the various volunteer organizations. It was said, believing the German might use the volunteer plan as a substitute for her former system of universal training.

For the present, it was said, allied leaders have no fear of a sudden military comeback on the part of the Germans. The nation has no adequate stock of munitions, it was pointed out, and the people are too war-weary to be incited to any extensive military movement.

GERMAN DELAY SIGNING. PARIS, Jan. 2.—Possibly further delay in signing of the treaty protocol was seen today in a letter from Kurt Von Hammer, head of the German commission to the Disarmament conference, to the secretary of the peace conference.

Van Hammer told Dutasta, he had caught cold and would be confined to his room for a week, on orders of his physician. "This," he believed, might be a "ruse" to give allied and German leaders more time to adjust their differences over the so-called "flow section" of the protocol, in which the allies demand 400,000 tons of German war materials as compensation for the signing of the German armistice.

No meeting of the supreme council was scheduled for Friday.

The peace conference today resumed a session at 10 a. m., declaring the conference does not understand reasons for Germany's increase in forces in the Upper Silesia.

START EARLY IN SAVINGS RACE

Postmaster Will Sell 200 Certificates in January

Joining ranks with all postmasters in Ohio, an early effort to maintain Ohio's savings rate in the government savings campaign, Postmaster James J. Brown, today announced to assume a quota of 200 treasury savings certificates to be sold during January. They will be in the denomination of \$100 each, and will be in addition to the regular war savings stamp sales.

It is designed to "hit all other states out of the running" at the outset of 1920, it is known as "The Knock-out Campaign."

A supply of 1920 issues of treasury savings certificates as well as war savings stamps have just been received by Postmaster Sullivan. Terms of sale are the same as heretofore, the 1920 treasury savings certificates selling for \$100 this month and the war savings stamps for \$100. Thirty certificates will be offered through mail carriers, purchased at the postoffice. Postmaster Sullivan calls attention to the fact the price of these certificates advances each month and January is the best time to purchase.

ONE IN FOUR MARRIAGES BUST BY FIGURES SHOW

Only about one in every four marriages in Allen county "made it" on the "honey moon," according to records compiled by the office of the probate court and county clerk of the courts.

Two hundred and thirty-one marriages were made with the clerk at the county seat, the marriages were made at the county seat for \$100 during the year.

When the divorce court session was held, the divorce cases were taken up, and the divorce cases were taken up, and the divorce cases were taken up.

Horrors! Borah Uses Pet Phrase

WASHINGTON.—The phrase "may I not," which was made famous by President Wilson, has been seized by his bitter political foe, Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho.

In a letter to Governor Frank J. Lowden, on the subject of the league of nations, Borah said: "May I not give you an illustration?" It caused a sensation in the capital.

2 DIE AS RESULT OF WRECK

Local Man and Bellefontaine Resident Are Victims

Thomas Edward Latty, 22, 758 Weadock avenue, and Daniel Dugan, 47, Bellefontaine, died New Year's day as a result of injuries sustained in a year-end collision on the Big Four railroad near Bellefontaine, early in the day. Dugan is a brother of J. B. Dugan, resident manager of the Ohio Electric railway company.

A light engine coming up to push a train into the yards struck the house in which Latty and Dugan, both drunken, were riding. The house was reduced to kindling wood.

Both were taken to the Bellefontaine hospital where death occurred several hours after the accident.

Latty is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Latty, 758 Weadock avenue. He was married to St. Mary's. Besides his wife, a sister, Irene, residing at the parental home survives.

The body was accompanied to Lima New Year's night and taken to the Catholic mortuary. It was reposed in the stricken home Friday.

Funeral services will be held Monday at St. John's Catholic church. Interment will be in Gethsemani.

Manager Dugan went to Bellefontaine and assisted in the removal of the body of his brother to Kanton. Dugan's wife and child, funeral arrangements for Dugan have not yet been completed.

INQUIRING REPORTER

Every Day He Asks a Question of Persons Picked at Random in Lima

Today's Question Which, in your estimation, uses the most economy in making purchases, man or woman?

MRS. E. T. DENWICK, active club woman, "I think a man buys more economically than a woman. He considers the cost of everything and uses his business methods to advantage."

MISS ALTA KING, "I think a woman, of course, knows a man who paid the highest price of \$30 for a sweater for his father for Christmas. It took wonderful clothes to go with it, which she didn't have. The store would not exchange it. What will she ever do with it? He neither used sense nor economy in the purchase, which is only one instance."

MRS. E. R. FOSTER, active club worker: "I think a man buys more economically. He does not consider details in his management."

MRS. F. X. ZINK, JR., prominent North Side club woman: "I think a woman always uses more economy in buying than a man."

PATRONS NOTICE

The advance subscription price of The News will start with our Saturday evening edition January 3rd and copies will make their first advance collection on January 10th. We believe that you are willing to pay this advanced price so that we may continue to give you the same high class paper that we have always given you, in preference to continuing at the old price and being forced to reduce our news columns and features.

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MAN ACCUSED OF KILLING BROWN

Woman Charges Provost Hiding Behind Her Skirts

MYSTERY IS NOT SOLVED

Police Believe Man Held Could Clear Up Case

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich.—Lloyd Provost can explain the murder of J. Stanley Brown, in the opinion of Chief of Police Allan Straight. Straight declared Friday that if Provost would talk, he could clear up the mystery which has surrounded the case since Brown's body was found in an automobile near here, December 23.

Provost was arrested for the second time Thursday. He confronted Cecil Beatrice Vester, who is charged with Brown's murder, in her cell in the jail here.

"You killed him—you know you did, and now you are trying to hide behind a woman's skirts," Mrs. Vester shouted.

Provost did not reply. Mrs. Ruth Brown, widow of the slain man, and cousin of Provost, was expected to be re-arrested Friday. Mrs. Brown and Provost are very friendly, authorities stated.

Chief Straight stated Brown had discovered the relations between his wife and Provost and remonstrated.

"The last minute Brown was seen alive just before 10 o'clock the night of his death," he said. "He was going to meet Lloyd Provost, to ride to town along the very road on which the body was found."

At 9:30 Provost says he walked along Gratiot avenue, the busiest street of the town in which he was born and where he knows almost every person, turned at the river bridge and walked a block to the Edison hotel.

"Continuing he says he went into the hotel and up to his brother's room, and went to bed, departing for work in the morning."

Yet, Provost has been unable to produce one among all his friends in Mount Clemens who saw him walking along Gratiot avenue and over to his hotel. He walked three blocks apparently at a busy time of the night and no one saw him. Nor is he able to produce anyone who saw him enter the hotel and go upstairs to his room.

There are eight or nine hours in the story of Lloyd Provost unaccounted for by a single witness. Unfortunately for him, these hours cover the murder of Stanley Brown.

A deputy sheriff Friday was to bring Gladys Summit, the girl whose story was responsible for the arrest of Cecil Beatrice Vester, from her home in Battle Creek Friday for further questioning. This examination was scheduled for Wednesday, but was delayed. The Vester girl's examination will be held Saturday. Gladys Summit was asked to state her story that Cecil was not in Battle Creek the night of December 23, or the morning of December 24.

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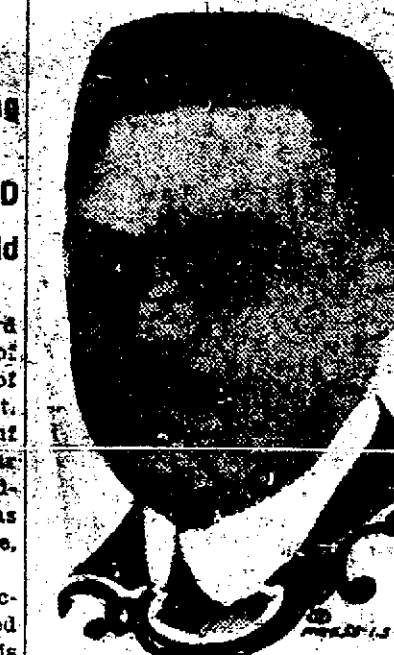
COLLECT THOUSANDS IN TAXES ON FIRST DAYS

The amount of \$51,000 was collected in taxes during Tuesday and Wednesday, County Treasurer Lehr E. Miller announced.

With Xmas and New Year's out of the way, the treasurer is urging everybody who has not yet settled with the county to come in and pay.

The rush will soon begin and it is therefore expedient, he says, to avoid the big crowds of the last few days. Tax paying closes January 20.

HEADS HUNGARIAN GOVERNMENT WHICH ALLIES RECOGNIZE



Dr. Karl Huzzar

Dr. Karl Huzzar is the new premier of the allies. Huzzar has been coalition ministry, has been recognized by the allies. Huzzar has been a deputy in the parliament for over ten years and is a member of the Catholic party. He is a reactionary and openly supports the royalist movement now in full swing in Hungary.

LOWDEN IS ASKED FOR POSITION

Senators Determined to Make League Issue of 1920.

WASHINGTON.—Efforts of "irreconcilables" to start to make and keep the league of nations an issue in the presidential campaign, were under way here Friday. Senator Borah, Idaho, sent a letter to Governor Lowden, Illinois, asking Lowden to state his position on the league. Similar letters will be sent to other candidates.

"Do you believe," Borah asked, "that the time has come when we should abandon the policy of no tangle alliances with European powers and enter into alliances or understandings with these powers?"

"If you should be nominated and elected president, would you exert your influence and of your administration to maintain the foreign policy which the United States has adhered to for a hundred years, or would you consent in any way to its abandonment or to its substantial modification?"

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MOTTER IS NAMED

Succeeds Garling as City Civil Clerk

The municipal civil service commission appointed Benjamin Motter, attorney, as clerk of the commission, at a meeting Friday morning.

H. Edmund Garling, clerk of the commission, resigned, being legally unable to fill the office after taking his place as city solicitor. The resignation was unanimously accepted and Motter's appointment made.

The civil service commission now consists of Attorney Frank H. Downing, William H. Howell and Fred W. Zaitz. Zaitz was recently appointed to take the place of Oliver Kain, resigned.

SHOT BY BURGLAR

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—William M. Patton, United Press telegrapher at the Memphis Press, is Wednesday recovering at a local hospital from the effects of a bullet which was shot through the shoulder Tuesday night when he chased a burglar out of the house without stopping to get a gun.

Patton, 34, caller, who was shot in the shoulder, was taken to the hospital by a patrolman.

60 ENUMERATORS TAKING CENSUS

Twelve Days Allotted for Securing Data in County

ALL MUST GIVE ANSWERS

Returns Will Be Sent to Officials At Washington

The taking of the census of Allen county started Friday morning. Statistics for the past ten years will be included in the report. The last census was taken ten years ago.

Twelve days is the allotted time by the government to secure the data in Lima and Delphos, which are classified under the list of cities. In the other towns of the county and the country, thirty days is allotted the enumerators.

Each enumerator is equipped with a paper badge and a book of instructions and no person may deny answering any question put to them by the enumerator.

There is one woman enumerator in the county.

In case the enumerator is denied answers to any questions, he will come back with a federal officer and the person will be forced to answer the questions, under pressure of prosecution.

The returns will be sent to C. A. Stiles, supervisor of census of the Third district, Greenville. After making his return, the report will be sent to Washington, D. C. All announcements of population and matters of interest to the public are made from the Washington office.

Census enumerators in Lima who started today are: J. N. O'Neil, William F. Batts, Carl Hall, Henry Reel, Grayley L. Parks, William Haffner, George W. Shanahan, P. J. Hanley, John E. Conrad, James R. Melly, T. E. Powell, A. D. Stump, Earl V. Kies, Richard Schmitz, Miss Roberta Mort, Walter J. Craig, Isaac D. East, Omer H. Mosher, Stephen A. Blosser, M. L. Mayer, Calvin F. Beiridge, Benjamin Motter, J. Miller Landick, J. Glenn Custer, Perley C. Herron, Stanley W. Welker, Charles E. Wasson, Fred R. Barrington, William A. Biddinger, Howard E. Mayer, Sidney A. Courtad, Frank A. Stepleton, J. F. Bronneman, Watson Rocky and John W. McAuliffe.

Enumerators throughout the county are: Ora B. Critch, Delphos; Orin H. Folger, Harrod; George G. Haffner, Westminster; Dean W. Wright, Mulford; Tapscott, Charles A. Rusler, Henry Donsenberg and M. L. Reader, rural routes out of Lima; C. C. Arnold and George F. Binkley, Lafayette; Edward C. Youngster, P. G. Bergener and Jesse McKenzie, all of Delphos; Elsworth L. Michael and Charles A. Stodd, Beavertown; C. O. Hoffman, Columbus Grove; Amos Gratz and Harry Patterson, Bluffton; William F. Scherer and William G. Reynolds, Spencerville; Edward J. Thomas and Homer T. Red, Elida.

PERMITS EXCEED ANY YEAR

Figures Show Nearly Half Million Dollars Building Increase

Figures compiled during the past week by James Haffner, clerk of the council, released Friday morning, show the year 1919 to have exceeded any previous year by \$400,000 in the value of new property under construction in the city.

A total of \$1,617,862 in building permits, Haffner's figures show, were issued during 1919.

Finances totaling \$6,715 were lected by his office as the result of cases tried in the municipal court. This sum is \$317 more than the year previous, showing an increase in crime.

However, a total of licenses issued during the year exceeds any previous year by \$660 over 1918.

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Government Will Take Action Up Supply to Increase Soon

Palmer Plans to Revive Fair Price Committee

WASHINGTON.—Sugar profiteers will be prosecuted by the government under the McNary bill which comes into effect during Friday at the food administration division of the department of justice. Lower prices and more sugar were predicted for the near future, as a result of imports of the new Cuban crop and the elimination of profiteering.

No definite price for sugar will be fixed for the whole country or any one district, because government attorneys claim the president does not have this power under the McNary bill. The only power is to prevent profiteering.

The government's control prices is: Large distributors of sugar—probably those who do an annual business of \$100,000 or more—would be licensed by the sugar administration board. This under the McNary bill, is authorized for the first six months of 1920. A reasonable profit will be allowed them but exorbitant sugar prices will be investigated and if it is found that undue profits are being made the license to do business will be revoked. This is expected to give complete control of wholesale distribution of sugar. No price will be fixed, because the president does not have this power and because it is feared a fixed figure which would give a fair profit to one distributor might net a huge return to another.

The retailers will be reached through the local fair price committees recently revived by Attorney General Clegg. These committees will set the price of sugar in their districts and any over-charge will be investigated. If profiteering is found, prosecution under the Lever act will result. The department of justice is now investigating several cases of alleged sugar profiteering in various parts of the country and it was stated that many arrests are likely to follow.

What may be an explanation for 20 cent sugar in some cities was offered Friday by the department. Louisiana sugar is now selling above 18 cents in New Orleans and an investigation has proved this to be a fair price, it was stated.

The reason given is that the Louisiana crop is 20 percent of normal, with the overhead for the producers who both grow and refine sugar virtually the same as in 1918.

FARM INSTITUTE TO NOMINATE

Attendance at Perry Township Meeting is Large

Reports of the committee on nomination and resolutions will be received at the closing meeting of the Perry township Farmers' Institute, to be held Saturday.

Attendance at the opening session of the institute Friday was large. Members of the committee on nominations consist of C. E. Satter, Brown, and G. H. Haffner. The closing session will be held at the Perry township school house, Perry, Ohio.

G. F. Aldrich, Johnathon, St. Paul, Minn., will be the guest speaker at the final session of the institute.

Observations on the situation in the agricultural world will be made by G. F. Aldrich.

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ARRESTS IN 1919 SHOW DECREASE

Chief Roush Declares Credit Goes To Prohibition

LESS CRIME OF ALL KINDS

Statement Issued by Roush on Duties of Chief.

A marked drop in the total number of arrests as well as those resulting from definite charges featured the first year of prohibition, according to the annual report of Chief of Police O. J. Roush, released Friday morning.

Arrests during the year of 1918 totaled 3,115. During 1919 only 1,836 people fell into the clutches of the law.

Placing the responsibility for the decided change, on the ban on liquor, Roush declared that prohibition was absolutely responsible for the decrease in crime.

"We find that there is a great deal less crime when people cannot get booze than when they can," he declared this morning. "This is especially evident in petty cases such as arrests for disorderly conduct, status, and vice charges, only one increase in the number of arrests on a specific charge and that is bootlegging. That could be expected, however, because with prohibition, it would be natural to expect that some people would attempt to get liquor even if it were in an illegal way."

Chief Roush's report shows that only 123 arrests were made during the year of 1919 on a charge of disorderly conduct, while during 1918, 319 people were taken on this charge. Drunks in 1919 numbered 431 while in 1918 a total of 574 were registered on this charge.

The fact that booze wasn't on the ban until May is made evident by records," Roush said, "and also is responsible for the comparatively large number of drunks arrested during the past year. In the first three months of the year, while saloons were still running, arrests averaged over 200 a month. Following the enforcement of the prohibition laws the average dropped to a hundred or less."

The vice situation in the city, was also not a heavy blow by the end of the year, as there were 119 arrests on this charge, while in 1918 there were 127. During 1918 the police arrested 1,836 people, while in 1919 only 1,836 were taken into custody.

held to be indirectly the result of liquor by Chief Roush. During 1919 only one arrest, that of Carl Hollenbacher, on the capital charge was made. Hollenbacher, evicted from his home, was not under the influence of liquor when he committed the murder for which he was arrested.

Comparative records of the past few years shows that 1919, the first year of prohibition, was one of the cleanest years that the police department has ever experienced here.

"I don't think there will be much to be done on the clean-up campaign our new mayor will start," Roush commented this morning. "From all indications, Lima is pretty clear of the right now."

The complete list of crimes committed within the city and for which arrests were made follows:

Burglary and larceny	15
Grand larceny	56
Highway robbery	2
Murder	1
Embezzlement	3
Forgery	2
Larceny of automobiles	12
Assault to kill	1
Assault	18
Horse stealing	5
Pocket picking	5
Rape	2
Shop lifting	1
Carrying concealed weapons	11
Receiving stolen property	22
Arrests for justice courts	43
Arrests for other cities	2
Violating health laws	7
Contributing to delinquency	3
Destruction of property	3
Cambling	31
Running disorderly houses	10
Inmates of disorderly houses	11
Visiting disorderly houses	22
Adultery	7
Fornication	7
Common prostitutes	7
Held for clinic	7
Deserters from army and navy	17
Selling intoxicating liquor	4
Operating illegal still	4
Drug cases	4
Juvenile violators	166
Juveniles	14
Insane persons	1
Arson	1
Traffic violators	294
Drunks	431
Disorderly conduct	123
Train riders and tags	340
Suspicious persons	93
Total	1836

ARRESTS BY MONTHS

January	302
February	319
March	159
April	191
May	216
June	121
July	119
August	58
September	12
October	77

November 67
December 71
Total arrests for 1918 3,116
Total arrests for 1919 1,836

Roush's Statement
By O. J. ROUSH,
Chief of Police

Now and again a man arrives at the position of Chief of Police one who has served long and honorably in various positions in the police department and in whom the public has confidence.

More and more does the public realize that the work of the police has become a business which requires years of study and training so that the police service may be properly conducted.

Honesty is a fine thing in any business, but competent honesty is what is needed in our police department. A broad spirit of humanity, a wide experience with all classes of people, a knowledge of the law and wisdom in its enforcement, a sound judgment, a cool head and a warm heart are among the prerequisites of a chief of police. The chief of police should not be controlled by any element of society nor should he be afraid of public opinion. He should have the courage and wisdom to keep the crook, the gambler, the politician, and also the reformer where they belong. He should welcome every element of society that is willing to help him keep his city clean. He should not be concerned if a crowd of hysterical women denounce him, or unsexed men abuse him.

The chief who will last the longest in his office, and who will receive the support of the sane and conservative of a city's population is the man who is not afraid of public criticism. While he should honestly desire to hold his position, the fear of losing it should never deter him from that honest, consistent and efficient course of conduct that will cause him to maintain his self-respect, look the whole world in the face, be unashamed and sleep the sleep that comes with a good conscience. To such a man the city should give a large discount in the affairs of his office. His judgment will recognize the needs of human conditions and determine how drastically social laws should be administered. The competent chief should be the chief of the whole city, and not any portion or section of it. His care should be the protection of the city's population, to see that they sleep securely at night, that their daughters and wives be safe on the public highways and their sons are protected from vicious and demoralizing conditions.

No service is more important, no service requires greater experience, no service requires more exalted patriotism than the service performed by an honest and efficient chief of police.

He has the great majority of our police officials are honest—that they are desirous of giving their best service they are capable of rendering. That we are all

made the goals of society most of us will admit, but the wonder of it all is not that so many of us go wrong, but that so many of us, working under the stress of such temptations as the service is subjected to, maintain our self-respect, live decent and honorable lives and serve the public as well as we do.

A time will come perhaps when all assembled here will have gone to their long home, when communities will insist upon that degree of scientific training for police officials that will make them the most competent to perform their duties. Until that time arrives we police officials will have to do the best we can under present conditions. We will need to be patient under trials and consumption. We will have to be wise enough to view the interested efforts of those who for their own gain would try to use us for police power and circumvent their efforts; we will have to consider the lying tongue of the flatterer, the insidious working of the grater, and also the impractical demands of the emotional reformer and tear from each group the hypocritical covering that hides efforts that if carried out would be against the public good.

We will have to meet the political situations wisely as we can, listen to those who are competent to advise us, confer with good women and good men, maintain an open mind and by every effort give that kind of police service that will steadily raise the standard of public decency, encourage practical reforms and labor for a sane and clear city and a noble humanity.

FORMER LIMA BOY DIES
IN DU QUESNE, PA.

Charles McFarland, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McFarland, Duquesne, Pa., died in that city Wednesday afternoon of pneumonia. He was a nephew of Mrs. E. E. Duhon, 128 1/2 East High street, and Mrs. W. Z. Kerr, 321 South Jackson street. The family has a wide circle of Lima friends.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at two o'clock at the Protestant Lutheran church in Wapakoneta. Burial will be in Greenlawn cemetery near there.

APPROVE BONDS
Allen county commissioners Friday approved the bonds for the construction of the Plautz ditch, in Allen and Auglaize counties. Improvement will cost about \$2,500.

BLIND GET CHECKS
About 50 persons received blind pensions checks from the county Friday covering the last quarter of 1919. The amount paid out was near \$2,500 according to county commissioners.

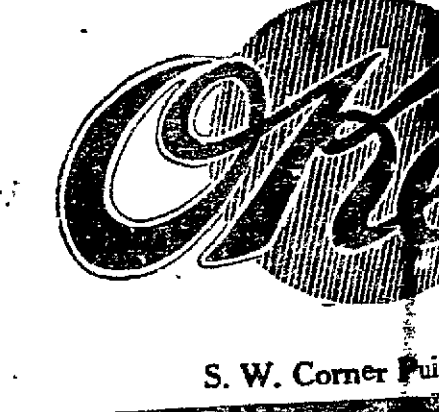


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A chance to economize considering current market short of phenomenal going to the policy of this out all stock at the end begin tomorrow our

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The entire stock of Men's Suits, Overcoats and be divided into groups and slashed with only one thought to turn our stock into ready



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Choose foods that are naturally sweet. For instance, for your cereal, eat

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This blend of wheat and malted barley needs no sweetening, for it is rich in grain sugar, not added in making, but self developed by twenty hours baking.

Sweet and nutlike in flavor
An economical food
At grocers

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Ice, 2 lbs.	25c	Rolled Oats, 3 pkgs.	25c
Apple Butter, lb.	15c	Nut Butter, lb.	30c
Large Brand Milk, can	25c	Matches, box	6c
Atford Baking Powder, 1 lb.	25c	Blackberries, gal	\$1.25
Beans Kitchen Klenzer	25c	Fresh Bread, 2 for	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Cranberries, qt.	15c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Grape Fruit 3 pkgs	15c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Strawberry Preserves, lb	35c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Macaroni and Spaghetti 3 for	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Country Sausage, lb.	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Good Coffee, 3 lbs	90c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Post Toasties, large	10c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Eggs, dozen	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Bacon, lb.	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Salt Pork, lb.	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Sunday & Monday, 5 bars	30c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Cream Oil Soap, 3 bars	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	P & G, per bar	8c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Star, per bar	8c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Irony, per bar	8c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Orange can Peaches in syrup	3c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	Dutch Cleanser 3 for	25c
Butter, 1 lb.	25c	3 lbs.	25c

Miss C. read in 6 to 14 Days
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Furs and Mystery
An Educational Advertisement
By Blum's

Your seal coat may be nothing more nor less than clever or ordinary rabbit fur. However, don't blame the sales-girl who sold it to you, for probably neither she nor her employer were sufficiently able to distinguish between seal and its numerous imitations.

The finest fur seal is no more carefully plucked and unharmed than the choicest coneys skins which are dyed seal color and used in the manufacture of garments in the prevailing styles and sold as electric seal or some other name associated with the word seal. These misnamed furs are readily sold at a far better profit-producing price than is obtainable for many really fine furs and are in deed perfect imitations.

French and Belgian dyers of coneys have become remarkably proficient in their art and the latter produce imitations of the finer and more costly furs; the most startling imitations include leopard, zebra and tiger effects.

In France alone about eight million rabbits are killed annually millions of the skins in their natural colors of bluish-grey, brown, white, black and sundry mixed hues being made up in muffs, collars and fine trimmings.

Coney is a fur not at all unhandsome, but one for which seal prices should not be paid. In fact, unless a fur buyer has had years of experience and knows his business thoroughly, he may be perfectly innocent of any intent to misrepresent, but the safe way to buy furs is to select a furrier whose reputation justifies your confidence and whose guarantee can be depended upon.

Beware of the Wolf in Sheep's Clothing.

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This is the 27th of a series of articles—the next of which appears

Gooding's Lima's Oldest
FINE FOOTWEAR
230 N. MAIN ST. LIMA, OHIO.

Special Reductions for Saturday

Women's Black Calf Walking Boots	\$8.95
Women's Black Kid Laced Boots, Medium Walking Heels	\$6.95
Women's Black Kid Dress Boots—Leather Louis Heels	\$8.45

Men's Shoes for Saturday

Men's high grade brown calf-skin shoes, two styles, medium and narrow toes—\$11 values reduced for Saturday to

\$7.95

Special Saturday Prices on Children's Shoes

Child's 6 to 8 years Gun Metal Lace High Top Shoes	\$3.45
Child's 8 1/2 to 11 Gun Metal Lace High Top Shoes	\$2.95
Child's 8 1/2 to 11 Brown Calf Lace Shoes	\$3.95
Misses' 11 1/2 to 2 Gun Metal Calf Lace Shoes	\$3.95
Misses' 11 1/2 to 2 Brown Calf Lace Shoes	\$4.95

SPECIALS IN THE BASEMENT

CHILD'S 6 TO 8 SIZES	CHILD'S 8 1/2 TO 11 SIZES	MISSES'
Gun Metal button shoes \$2.48	Gun Metal Button Shoes \$2.98	Black Calf Gun Metal \$4.95
Gun Metal Lace shoes \$2.98	Gun Metal Button Shoes \$2.98	Brown Calf Gun Metal \$4.95
Brown Calf Lace Shoes \$3.48	Black Kid Button Shoes \$3.98	Gun Metal \$4.95
Black Kid Button Shoes \$3.48	Brown Calf Lace Shoes \$3.98	

Boy's brown calf English lace shoes \$4.95	Special lot of Boys button shoes \$1.98	Youth's Black Eng lace shoes \$3.48	Youth's brown calf lace shoes \$3.98	Women's kid comfort plain toes \$4.95
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230 N. MAIN ST. LIMA, OHIO.

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NEW LOCATION AT THE EUREKA STS.

Wholesale Prices for the Retail Trade

Tables \$3.50

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To all who seek lower prices in these days of rapidly rising costs—this announcement is directed. Tomorrow we begin our

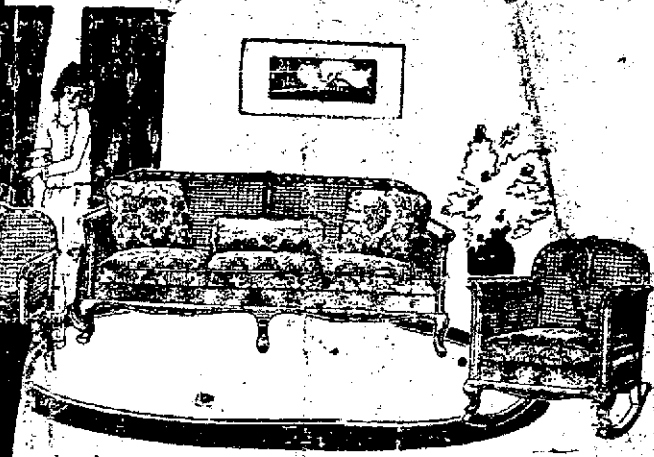
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Lima's Big Store

Please Note:—The Big Store is a determined effort, approved by the Department of Justice, Washington, D. C., to aid public economy. First—By conducting a permanent Economy Department, namely, our Self Service Section, where operative costs are reduced to a minimum, allowing very small profit charges. Second—By conducting Economy Sales throughout the year, in which merchandise is offered on the basis of long existing contracts, offering tremendous savings, under today's prices. The first of these sales begins tomorrow. Take fullest advantage of its opportunities.

January Clearance Sale

January Clearance Sale of FURNITURE



Solid Mahogany PARLOR SUITE \$245

Attractive addition to any home and the price asked is well below the present wholesale cost. The frames are in the Green Anne style and in addition to the extra wide mahogany diaphan there is one for each chair.

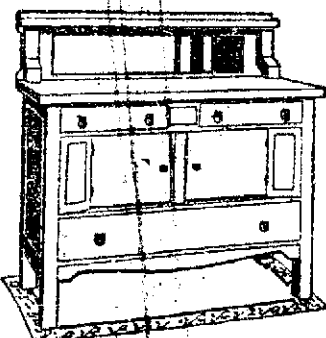
Floor Lamps

Our surplus stock of Floor Lamps and Shades are sharply reduced for quick selling and we will close them out in three lots of each as follows:

- Bases up to \$10.00, January Furniture Sale Price, \$9.05
- Bases up to \$15.00, January Furniture Sale Price, \$12.75
- Bases up to \$20.00, January Furniture Sale Price, \$17.50
- Shades up to \$2.50, January Furniture Sale Price, \$8.50
- Shades up to \$7.50, January Furniture Sale Price, \$12.95
- Shades up to \$12.50, January Furniture Sale Price, \$17.50

SOLID OAK BUFFET, 26x44 INCH TOP IN GOLDEN OR FUMED OAK, \$29.75

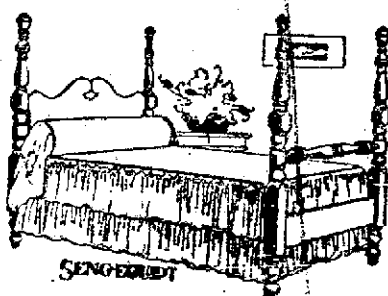
Excellent opportunity to save. Has lined up a well made, all new over its spring price. January Furniture Sale.



SOLID OAK LIBRARY TABLE \$10.48

Thrifty buyers will quickly take advantage of this value, 26x42 top fitted with large drawer, finished golden. January Furniture Sale Price.

\$10.95



\$34.75
\$39.75

Clearance Sale of Socks & Underwear

- 50 SILK HOSE. Thread Silk Hose, full double toe, sole and heel, \$2.00
- WEAVER VESTS AND PANTS. Flannel Vests and Pants, each, 97c
- WEAVER UNION SUITS. Union Suits with long pants regular at 97c

A remarkable economy event, starting Saturday, January 3rd, with the finest Merchandise we ever assembled—the largest and most comprehensive stock The Big Store has ever offered in such a sale. We wish to emphasize the fact that only The Big Store standard merchandise figures in this sale. The qualities are absolutely dependable, the styles are the most up to date. Come down to this sale early, therefore, and do not let another get what may be yours for a few moments seeking.

January Clearance Sale of Suits, Coats and Dresses

No Woman is Quite Happy Without a Modish Suit

Regardless of how perfect her wardrobe may be otherwise—the suit is its crowning glory. There are always occasions when nothing but a suit will quite answer the purpose. Consider now, whether you need a suit, and if you do, we would advise that you waste no further time in satisfying that need. The price reductions during this sale will please you immensely.

24.75, 33.75, 43.75, 63.75 75.00

January Reduction on Coats

Have you been waiting for this Clearance Sale of Coats? Have you had your mind set on some certain Coat? If so, now is your time to possess that coat at a great saving. The choice selection is very exceptional for this season of the year.

Coats, full and flaring, plain or lovely with trimmings of fur. Coats of the loveliest of fabrics, among them being Bolivia, Duvelyns, Velour, Plush—Coats that keep out Winter's chill and give you a feeling of satisfaction as to grooming.

24.75, 29.50, 39.50, 55.00

Frocks of Wool

The model most suited to your individual requirements, we are safe in saying is without a doubt right here at your disposal. Individuality of style is one of our greatest aims, and exclusive and ultra smart garments greet you here on every hand. During this sale you will be most pleasantly surprised at the modest prices—reduced of course.

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Serge	Jersey	Tricotine
19.98	27.50	35.00

January Sale Items From Here and There

15c SILKOLINE CROCHET COTTON, 10c
—Silkoline Crochet Cotton, mercerized, ecru, white, pink and blue; special,

10c

\$1.00 AND \$1.25 STRAP PURSES, 79c
—Women's Black Strap Purses, worth \$1 and \$1.25, January Clearance,

79c

\$1.00 MARY GARDEN FACE POWDER, 79c
—Mary Garden Face Powder, all tints. Clearance price,

79c

50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste,

36c

10c Rit Dye Soap,

7c

JANUARY SALE of Dependable Shoes

—Women's Black Kid Lace Boots, no old stock, all fresh, good. Now is the time to buy \$10.00 value, \$6.95.

—Women's Dark Grey all kid and cloth top to match lace style, Goodyear welt soles; leather or covered heel, \$10.00 value, all sizes in lot, \$5.95.

—Women's Dark Brown Kid Lace Boots, leather Louis heel, dark brown cloth top to watch, \$9.50 value, \$7.49.

—Misses' dark tan and black calf English dress Shoe, \$4.50 value, \$3.79.
—Misses' black and tan Button School Shoe, foot form last, sizes up to 13½ out they go, \$1.79.

—Children's gun metal button turn soles, spring heel, all sizes up to 8, While they last, \$1.29.
—Boys' gun metal button School Shoe, made with wide broad toes, \$3.00 value, \$2.39.

—Men's all rubber and cloth, 4 buckle, arches, \$4.00 and \$4.50 value, \$2.95.

—Men's Work Shoes made of all leather, \$3.00 value, \$2.49.
—Ladies' Rubbers up to 5, while they last, 69c.

January Clearance Sale in the Men's Section

Men's Overcoats

—Form fitting and conservative models, in greys and fancy mixtures, every coat strictly tailored—size is a great reason for their reduction mark.

- \$40.00 Values, \$33.50
- \$35.00 Values, \$27.50
- \$30.00 Values, \$23.50
- \$25.00 Values, \$19.50

Young Men's Overcoats

—Very dressy and stylish—made with fur collar, sizes 34 to 46. Don't lose them to go fast at this ridiculously low price—

\$55.00 Coats.

Children's Overcoats

—All wool Overcoats, a good assortment of patterns and styles for quick choosing. Plain colors and fancy patterns, ages 3 to 9.

- \$12.00 Values, \$8.95
- \$10.00 Values, \$7.95
- \$8.00 Values, \$6.95
- \$7.00 Values, \$5.95

Sweaters

—Heavy all wool Sweaters—out style, large storm collars, \$12.00, \$10.00, \$8.00, \$7.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00.

Dress Suits

—A splendid selection of men's dress suits, \$12.00, \$10.00, \$8.00, \$7.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.00, \$1.00.



January Sale of CORSETS

—Discontinued models in popular back and front lace models—plain white coutil and fancy brocades in pink and white—former values from \$5.00 to \$9.00. Clearance Sale Price, \$3.50.

\$3.50

JANUARY SALE in the Housefurnishing Section

—Plain Table Tumblers, star bottom, very special at 35c dozen.

—Sand etched straight side Table Tumblers, worth \$1 dozen, Clearance Special at 35c per set of 6.

—Plain White English Ware Cups and Saucers, \$3.00 per dozen. Dinner Plates to match, \$3.00 per doz.

—25% Discount on all Gas Heaters remaining in stock.

—Two No. 15 Base Burner Heaters in very good condition. Jewel make, of best quality. Close Out Price, \$48.00.

—English Rockingham Tea Pots, several sizes and designs, beautifully decorated with colored enamel. Special values. Your choice, \$1.50 each.

—80 piece Dinner Set; special price, \$25.00.

—94 piece Dinner Set, \$39.00.

—75 piece Dinner Set, \$21.00.

—These are all last end sets at very low prices, considering quality and decoration.

MISS BURKHARDT SERVES GRATIS

Helps With Clerical Work in the City Building

Mrs. Lucille Burkhardt, daughter of Mayor Frank A. Burkhardt, donated her services as clerk to the city of Lima, Friday, gratis.

By an act of council, the secretary to the director of public service was cut off. Correspondence has piled up and Friday Miss Burkhardt, who is a teacher in the Lima public schools, volunteered to assist her father and the service director in clearing away the correspondence which had accumulated.

Miss Burkhardt worked until late in the afternoon, when she hurried to the Bethany Lutheran church, where she is organist, to play for a funeral. Then she returned to her clerical duties.

Mayor Burkhardt stated Friday he would call the attention of council to the need of a stenographer there. The ordinance provides the assistant at the waterworks should take care of the correspondence. But he can neither write shorthand or operate a typewriter.

The mayor believes the council will take care of the situation adequately.

C. OF C. TRUSTEES MEET

Trustees of the Chamber of Commerce will meet in regular session Friday afternoon. Routine business will be transacted, according to Secretary W. H. Clarke.

ROGERS



Satisfaction

In glasses necessitates an examination made with scientific precision accurately ground lenses that are optically perfect and a frame or mounting that is becoming and comfortable.

This is what the

Rogers Method

Offers you.

One reasonable charge covers the services of specialist, optician and mechanic. If we furnish your glasses, they will prove as satisfactory as skill and experience applied to one purpose can make them.

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129 WEST MARKET ST.
Stores at Ft. Wayne, Ind., and Springfield, Ill.

MRS. MARTHA DINGLEIDINE DIES AT HER HOME HERE

Mrs. Martha A. Dingleidine, 64, wife of Peter Dingleidine, died at her home, 916 Madison avenue, at midnight, New Year's eve. Death was due to dropsy and heart trouble, after an illness of a year and a half.

Mrs. Dingleidine was born in Mount Sidney, Va., in 1855. A daughter, Mrs. R. G. Clark and a son, H. C. Orebough, survive. She had four grand-children.

Funeral services were held Friday at two o'clock at Bethany Lutheran church. Rev. W. C. Spayde officiated and interment was at Woodlawn.

POLL BOOK SENT TO CAPITOL FOR COUNT

The poll book of Precinct No. 4, G, has been forwarded to Columbia, for a recount of the vote at the recent election, in the wet and dry contest.

The books are filed with Auditor Rupert, who states, the object is to compare the vote with the list of voters registered in the city.

AT ONE TIME it was the practice among the Germans and Dutch to accumulate soiled clothes and have a wash-day only two or three times a year.

INFANT DEATH

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Dixon, 424 South Scott street, died New Year's day shortly after birth. The child one of twin boys, now living. The parents and a sister also survive. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

McLAUGHLIN WINS

The claims of Warren J. McLaughlin, 1111 Main and Franklin streets, in a suit against the City of Lima, were established by Judge William Hinger in common pleas court and McLaughlin was exempted from paying \$795.90 taxes assessed against his property for grading purposes.

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You will be surprised to see how fast they will grow if you become a member of our

CHRISTMAS SAVINGS CLUB

and make a deposit weekly. It's keeping at it that counts—Save a little every week. The weeks fly and before you realize it your little coins have grown into

"BIG ROUND DOLLARS"

Everybody can save if they just make up their minds to do so and stick to it. A child as well as an adult can accumulate a fund for Christmas giving.

Every One—Old and Young—is Invited to Join.

The Books are open—Enroll at once. The first Deposit makes you a Member.

First National Bank

MAIN AND PUBLIC SQUARE

HARMAN'S

MARKET AND ELIZABETH

Are You Going to Buy a Stove?

If so, this will interest you. Because it will save you money and that's only human. Everybody figures that way, more or less. Now here's the story. We represent in Lima

The Favorite Stove and Range Co., of Piqua, Ohio

MAKERS OF THE FAMOUS

"FAVORITE" STOVE

We entered into an agreement with them to carry at all times a line of samples of their Stoves on our sales floor. In consideration of this they agreed to sell us their stove at their

Lowest Carload Prices For Cash

This agreement has been in force for the past three years and want you to know they have been

Our Greatest Years in the Stove Business--Here's the Interesting Part to You

When we made this contract we revised our selling basis and three prices—and every stove is marked in plain figures.

- 1st. A Spot Cash Price for cash buyers.
- 2nd. A Time Price, with just enough added to the cash price for interest and bookkeeping.
- 3rd. A Mail Order Price, or "factory to you" as the mail houses call it. This price cuts all store expenses as direct to you from Piqua, Ohio.

This plan takes care of all classes of buyers. The cash price not help pay for losses in bad accounts.

The time buyer pays a fair rate for carrying his account you would at the bank.

The mail order man who wants to buy direct, can save buying instead of depending upon a picture. Before you we invite you to investigate. The proof is here. We are a square deal. That means the cutting of the high cost of our store slogan thoroughly in your system.

"BUY FOR CASH PAY LESS"

HARMAN'S

MARKET AND ELIZABETH

Canned Vegetables

Corn, No. 2 cans 15c, 18 & 20c
Beans, No. 2 cans 15c, 18c, 20c

can 15 & 20c

can 20, 25c,

can 15 & 35c

can 18c

can 25c

Week-End Specials

Grocery Dept.

2 pkgs Aunt Jemima Pancake

Flour

25c

Pounds Pinto Beans

75c

Fancy Head Rice

25c

1/2 lbs Classic or Ruben More

Soap

65c

1/2 lbs Soap

25c

1/2 lbs Cleaner

25c

1/2 lbs Cori Tomatoes or

Beans

25c

1/2 lbs Fancy Red Alaska

Salmon

33c

1/2 lbs Good Salmon

21c

Meat Dept.

Fresh Pork Shoulders, Lb

20c

Fresh Sausage, Lb

20c

Chuck Beef Roast, Lb

23c

Soft Rib or Brisket Boil Lb

15c

Our Beef is Extra Good Quality

Leg of Lamb, Lb

35c

Lamb Shoulders, Lb

25c

Lamb Breast, Lb

20c

Veal Shoulder Chops, Lb

28c

Veal Pocket Roast, Lb

25c

Fruits and Vegetables

Fancy Head Lettuce, lb. . . . 32c

Iceberg Head Lettuce, lb. . . . 35c

Carrots, lb. . . . 8c

Turnips, lb. . . . 8c

Parsnips, lb. . . . 8c

Celery, per bunch 15c

Sweet Potatoes, lb. . . . 8c

Cabbage, lb. . . . 7c

Grape Fruit, large, 3 for . . . 25c

Oranges, large, doz. 55c and 65c

Bananas, lb. . . . 11c

Apples, lb. . . . 10c

Dates, pkg. . . . 28c

Imported Figs, lb. . . . 50c

Dried Fruits

Prunes, lb. . . . 27c, 32c, & 37c

Peaches, lb. . . . 20c, 37c, & 43c

Apples, lb. . . . 30c & 45c

Raisins, seed, large pkg. . . . 20c

Raisins, seedless, large pkg. . . 27c

Currents 27c & 35c

Teas

SPECIAL

Extra Value Black Tea, lb. . . 40c

Very Good Tea Siftings, lb. . . 25c

In package Teas we have the following brands for you to choose from:

Chase and Seaborn

Ridgways

Battleship

Rockwood

Salada

Golden Sun

Empire

Royal Garden

Hotel Astor

Coffees

We now have ready a fine line of Bulk Coffees, all extra values, prices, per lb., 50c, 55c, 42c, 48c, 55c, 58c, 59c.

We also have the following

Package Coffees:

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LIMA DISTRICT
NEWS IN BRIEF

ST. MARTY'S—A call to meet at the southside January 5th, has been issued by the district advisory health council, comprising newly-elected members of towns and villages of the county. They are to elect a new county health board to succeed the one now automatically "out" of office before it was installed through the Griswold bill which supercedes the Hughes health law. An effort will be made to submit a new budget estimate which does not work a hardship on the county.

ST. MARTY'S—The year 1920 is to be the best yet with St. Mary's industries. Such is the forecast made by managers of shops and factories. "Splendid" said one head of an institution when asked the 1920 forecast. "The first six months is guaranteed" he continued. The need of additional help is voiced by some of the firms.

ST. MARTY'S—With noon temperature reaching 60 in the sun, St. Mary's experienced the warmest year-end in a decade. An early morning frost was followed by a day of brilliant sunshine. Temperature a few days ago, though the sky was partly clouded. Two years ago severe weather prevailed with snow and ice.

KENTON—William B. Swonger, Cleveland, deputy internal revenue collector who has been stationed here six months detailed from the Toledo office, has resigned from government service to become income tax consultant for the public. He will work in Hardin Logan, Shelby, Auglaize and Champaign counties.

DELPHOS—B. L. Jauman, mayor, has announced his appointees for the year 1920, as follows: Sinking fund trustee, Joseph Roth, library trustee, H. R. Hick, Mrs. A. S. Perkins and Henry Lange. Newly-elected councilmen are as follows: C. F. Lehman and Dr. H. C. Bradshaw. Elective and appointive officers will be installed Thursday. School board will organize January 5.

ST. MARTY'S—Winnebago Tribune, No. 154, improved Order of Red Men, installed Ed Tellejohn, Sachem, John W. Barrington, Senior Sagamore, Carl Schnarr, Junior Sagamore. Lunch was served.

KENTON—The Greek orthodox baptism ceremony was performed the first time in Kenton over the child of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Apostole, by Father Frusianalis of Toledo.

KENTON—Farmers' institute at Dunkirk was postponed from Jan. 12, because of inability of state speakers to make engagement. Dates will be announced later.

DELPHOS—In a letter to Postmaster A. J. Shenk, Congressman B. F. Wally, announces that the 63rd

OVER-EATING

is the worst of all ailments. It is the cause of indigestion, flatulence, constipation, and all the other ailments of the stomach and bowels.

KI-MOIDS

the cure for all ailments of the stomach and bowels. It is the cause of indigestion, flatulence, constipation, and all the other ailments of the stomach and bowels.

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congress made an appropriation for the purpose of a new post office here.

KENTON—Automobile owners granted 30 days' extension to secure 1920 tags, due to pending tax law. Chief of Police L. A. Pugh is informed.

DELPHOS—With the American Road Machinery Company of Ft. Wayne moving here many laborers are moving to the city with families.

KENTON—Three hundred and fifty children participated in indoor playground activities here New Year Day.

KENTON—Miss Cleo Slagle, registered nurse, has returned home after nine months service in U. S. Hospital, Norfolk.

DELPHOS—Mrs. James Hester, 68, died at her home here.

DELPHOS—Ice cutting is in progress on the Miami and Erie canal here.

KENTON—With W. C. Ries, Kenton, seventh census director, in charge, work of enumerating the population for the 1920 federal census started today in Hardin, Hancock, Marion, Morrow, Wyandot, and Crawford counties. There are 27 enumerators in Hardin county.

KENTON—A careful watch to prevent wood alcohol poisonings here is being maintained by city officials. There have been no deaths here from drinking "coroner's cocktails."

KENTON—The first state farmer's institute in Hardin county opened today in Alger. The sessions will end Saturday night. A corn and grain exhibit is also being held.

OTTAWA—Louise LaBadie, Red Cross nurse, stationed at Norfolk, Va., has received her discharge and is now at home.

DIDN'T TRUST HER—SAN FRANCISCO—Frank O'Connor trusted his wife so little after 25 years of married life that he followed her to a wake to see if she met any strange men. Judge Graham granted Mrs. O'Connor a divorce.

Why you need
Resinol Ointment

The same soothing, healing, antiseptic properties that make Resinol Ointment so effective for skin eruptions, also make it the ideal household remedy for:

Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Scratches, Wounds, Bruises, Sores, Rashes, Itchings, Ulcers, Fingers, Pimples, Cold sores, Chafings, Stings, Fles, Irritations.

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Sample free: Your druggist sells it, but for generous sample and a miniature case of Resinol Ointment, write to Dept. 12N, Resinol Chemical Co., Baltimore, Md.

"EATSOME" EDGEMONT CRACKERS With Every Meal

SENTENCED MAN
SUES AGENTSwiss Victim of German Efforts
to Transmit Information

GENEVA—An action brought by a Swiss subject against a German agent, claiming \$6,000 damages for injury to his health and honor, is being heard by the Zurich tribunal, throws a strange light on the methods and activities of the German espionage service during the war.

M. Auguste Fallet, a Swiss tradesman, paid a business visit to Bordeaux in January, 1918. During his absence his mother received a letter from a Herr Jules Holz, of Hamburg, asking her to forward to her son any postcards which arrived for him from Marseilles.

Two unsigned postcards bearing a few ordinary and banal words did arrive from Marseilles shortly afterwards, and Mme. Fallet duly sent them to her son in Bordeaux, where on M. Fallet was promptly arrested by the French military authorities as a German spy. The censor, it seemed, had discovered important military secrets written on the postcards in invisible ink.

M. Fallet in vain protested his innocence to death. He would undoubtedly have been shot but for a strange coincidence which occurred at Lausanne, where a woman named David was caught in a similar trap by Herr T. Otten, of Hamburg, who was known to be in close relations with Holz.

The Swiss authorities immediately communicated with the French, and on a second trial Fallet was acquitted and returned home.

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Helps Restore Worn-Out, Thin-Blooded Men and Women to Health and Happiness.

Physicians Recommend It.

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Most every case of sallow complexion and a languid feeling is traceable to watery, impoverished blood deficient in oxygen-carrying red blood cells.

Inasmuch as the entire system depends on the blood for its nourishment and strength, it is readily understood why thin-blooded people always feel worn-out and run-down. And it is equally plain that to restore the vigor of rugged health, the blood should be supplied with the needed qualities to enable it to build up the system.

Gude's Pepto-Mangan accomplishes this very result. In a short time the beneficial results are clearly manifest. The cheeks fill out and regain the bloom of health, the eyes sparkle, the whole system is filled with greater vitality.

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EDITOR QUILTS PAPER TO
GATHER ACORNS—\$1.50 SACK

COTTONWOOD, Cal.—With print paper gone sky high in price, is it profitable for a publisher to issue? Burney J. McNamar, editor and owner of the Cottonwood Enterprise, answers this best in actions. He has left his editorial chair to gather acorns in the forest. Acorns are now selling at \$1.50 per sack. They are used for fuel.

Editor McNamar has gathered in ninety-eight sacks this month in his absence his wife edits and gets out the paper.

WANTS BOND REDUCED

CANTON—Mrs. Cora Selbert is again lodged in the county jail, awaiting the outcome of an application made in her behalf to have her bond reduced from \$2,500 to \$500 so she may secure her freedom, following the disagreement and discharge of the jury which tried her upon the charge of kidnaping Elizabeth Edna Albee, six-year-old adopted daughter of the late Theodore and Mrs. Albee.

Two unsigned postcards bearing a few ordinary and banal words did arrive from Marseilles shortly afterwards, and Mme. Fallet duly sent them to her son in Bordeaux, where on M. Fallet was promptly arrested by the French military authorities as a German spy. The censor, it seemed, had discovered important military secrets written on the postcards in invisible ink.

M. Fallet in vain protested his innocence to death. He would undoubtedly have been shot but for a strange coincidence which occurred at Lausanne, where a woman named David was caught in a similar trap by Herr T. Otten, of Hamburg, who was known to be in close relations with Holz.

The Swiss authorities immediately communicated with the French, and on a second trial Fallet was acquitted and returned home.

HUSBAND WIPES OUT HIS
FAMILY WITH ONE SHOT

LEIPZIG—A terrible domestic drama took place at Plagwitz, where Anton Hauf killed himself, his wife, and their two-year-old daughter in the courtyard of a house at the back of which they lived.

It was ascertained that the wife, with her child in her arms, stood beseeching her husband, and that the three were killed by the same bullet, which passed through the bodies of the wife, the baby and the husband.

For a happy and prosperous New Year trade at Wright's Cash Market, 134 east High street.

STOLE 120,000
ICE CREAM CONES

BOSTON—During the cold wave here before Russell Williams, aged twenty-three years, was arrested charged with stealing 120,000 ice cream cones, the property of Jacob Fishbein. They were valued at \$400.

BY GOLLY! IT'S A SHAME!

Why Don't You Take "Cascarets" for Your Liver and Bowels and Feel Cheery, Fit and Fine?

Cascarets end biliousness, headache, dizziness, constipation, indigestion, and cramping. Why? Cascarets and get rid of the bowel and liver poison gently you're never even inconvenienced. There is no griping and none of the explosive after-effects of cathartics like Calomel, Salts, while you sleep.

America's Economy Clothes

Made In Our Own Sunlight Tailor Plant

A Demonstration of Our
Value-Giving Ability

While others are making frantic efforts to interest you in underpriced at presumable reactions—we are in a position to give you freshly-made, excellently tailored, perfect fitting

Suits and
Overcoats

25 and 30

That We Save You \$10 to \$15

Tremendous purchasing power in the woolen market—great manufacturing ability and quick selling methods in our 32 stores—permits our shipping department to function every week in the year—new goods all the time! New goods at lower prices than others sell left-over for—that's why P&Q Clothes are known as "America's Economy Clothes."

We urge you to hurry, however, if you want to get a good assortment. At our prices Overcoats go fast—and of course you can't expect us to replenish Overcoat stocks now.

If you read the papers you are, no doubt, aware what they say about spring prices. Therefore a word to the wise is sufficient. And always remember—

P&Q Clothes Save and Satisfy

We Give The Values And Get The Business

The P&Q Shop CLOTHES FOR MEN

W. H. HARTZLER 34 Public Square

HORNER & STEINLE

121-123 W. MARKET

Offer Four Styles at Special Prices

for Saturday's Buying

Four of the Season's Most Desirable Shoes at Remarkable Prices

Very Attractive Brown Calf Skin

Sells regularly for \$12.50 and has proved one of our best sellers. Long vamp of brown calf skin with leather heel and imitation tip, grey buck top makes this the smartest for street wear we have in stock. Saturday being offered at the very special

\$7.98

Bronze Vamp Shoe

\$10.00 regularly

Brown satin tops, long bronze vamps and bronze heels give this shoe a very stylish appearance. For afternoon wear, nothing could be better. For Saturday we are offering this shoe at the much reduced price of—

\$6.98

Grey Kid Walking Boot

Offered exceptionally good this season. This is the long graceful vamp and excellent style, we have in stock. Formerly sold for \$13.00, now at a material reduction

\$9.98

P&Q "Bench-Made" Clothes — The highest attainment of the sweater's art and the most perfect craftsmanship \$40

P&Q Full Dress Suits \$35

P&Q Leather Motor Coats \$20

U. S. IMPRESSES
BRITISH VISITOR

Peer Says England Must Follow
Our Lead or Fall

INCREASED OUTPUT IS CURE

Hold Standardization Keynote of
Industry

LONDON — Sir Albert Stanley M. P., has returned from a recent visit to America with some "very vivid impressions" in regard to Britain's reconstruction problem.

In fact, if the people of Great Britain refuse to do what America is prepared to do, he writes in the Pall Mall Gazette, the United Kingdom must in the natural course of events, fail.

Continuing he writes: "In the first place, I feel convinced that British labor must be ready to meet the same conditions as prevail in America. Increased production is our only salvation. If we desire success we must adopt the same course as America has accepted."

"America has planned her path to labor-saving devices, realizing fully that labor-saving means increased production and increased employment."

In England, unfortunately, the idea predominates that the employment of such machinery would decrease the earning power of labor and would increase unemployment.

"America's experiments in this direction have proved that the exact opposite is the case. The condition of the working man in works equipped with this machinery has in every case been infinitely bettered; thus the English idea that employment of such machinery implies loss of wages and unemployment is proved to be a complete fallacy."

"The output of the present factory or workshop is not dependent on the muscle or brawn of the working man. Brain power is rapidly taking the place of brute force and in the United States so swiftly is this being achieved that the unskilled laborer is unknown. The foreign laborer after a few weeks in America attains a standard of efficiency in the various jobs for which he is fitted that would astonish his more leisurely compatriots. This added efficiency he gains without any exertion."

"As a further proof that labor-saving machinery is of benefit to the working man, America, while forging ahead, is easily paying by far the highest wages in the world, while the percentage of unemployment is less than that of any other country."

England is to meet American competition in the markets of the world two things must be done; the first is that the working man must be brought to realize that his increased comfort and prosperity depends upon his acceptance of these devices which I have just outlined.

"The second and equally vital is that the manufacturer and employer must realize that his interests are equally bound up with labor-saving machinery. To him I would say, 'Remember, wages are not measured by money, but by output!'"

"So long as the employer continues to use out-of-date machinery this country will remain financially stagnant. The employer who persists in making use of anything but the most up-to-date methods of production is as equally culpable as the workman who adopts the 'old-fashioned' system of decreased production."

"Standardization is practically the keynote to America's phenomenally rapid industrial advance but I consider that as far as the question of shipping goes we can hold our own providing that a more efficient use of

our ships is made than at present. "Our ports, for instance, are largely devoid of those labor-saving devices which I have pointed out as being so necessary."

"I have recently been asked if, in my opinion standardization and nationalization can run in harness. Emphatically no! Nationalization would most decidedly drag down standardization. My views of the industrial situation of the future is cordial relation between employer and employee, and let this be our motto—efficiency, prosperity and fraternity—they are indivisible."

"Co-operation with America is not only possible, but is desired by her, and must be beneficial to us both."

MAYOR OF "TENT CITY" GIVES BARRELS OF MONEY

BATH, Me. — Louis Gagne, promoter of a small housing settlement here, which is known as the "tent city," of which he is designated the Mayor, at a mass meeting of the Citizens' party, startled the audience when at the conclusion of a speech he opened a padlocked barrel and threw handfuls of money into the audience.

After scattering the contents of the barrel into the amazed men and women, he then threw candy kisses which he said had been sent by his wife with her compliments.

Gagne came to Bath about two years ago, when the shipyard was rushed with wartime contracts and when housing conditions were so limited that many persons were obliged to sleep in far-off communities while working here. Gagne conceived the idea of erecting tents in which these persons could live and followed this idea by the erection of about fifty small wooden houses containing from one to three rooms.

NEW BRUNSWICK LEGION BARS EXTREMIST PAPERS

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. — Extremist papers have been barred from sale here by activity of the American Legion, and a crusade against sale of German toys is to be undertaken.

Several papers barred from mails were on sale in a foreign section and the Legion men have enlisted aid of patriotic organizations and visited each newsdealer. All have agreed to stop selling the objectionable papers.

JEWELER IS HELD

AKRON — Philip Metz, proprietor of the Crown Jewelry Store, robbed of \$12,000 in cash and jewelry last Friday was taken into custody Wednesday and held for Pittsburgh authorities on the charge of embezzlement.

It is alleged that the alleged stolen jewelry was bought from a Pittsburgh concern and was not paid for. Metz reported to police his safe had been blown by yeggs. Police call it an "inside job."

OWING TO THE FACT THAT THE MEDINA GAS AND FUEL COMPANY, THE PRODUCER, HAS COMPLETED TWO GOOD GAS WELLS, AND, THE WEATHER IS NOW MILD, WE HAVE A GOOD SUPPLY OF NATURAL GAS AT THE PRESENT TIME. CONSUMERS MAY THEREFORE, UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE USE AS MUCH GAS AS THEY DESIRE. NATURAL GAS IS THE CLEANEST AND CHEAPEST FUEL IN THE WORLD.

THE LIMA NATURAL GAS COMPANY.

SECTY TUCKER
GAINS 25 POUNDS
TAKING TANLAC

Official of Kansas City Auto Assn. Feels Like New Man, He Says.

"I can not recommend Tanlac too highly, for it has not only made a new man of me but several members of my family have taken it with the best results," said C. M. Tucker, of 3221 Brooklyn street, Kansas City, Mo., the well-known and popular Secretary of the Kansas City Automobile Association, recently. Continuing, he said:

"Although I was in an awful condition when I began taking Tanlac and have only taken five bottles in all, I have gained twenty-five pounds in weight and feel better than I have in years."

"For some time past," he went on, "I have had the worst sort of stomach trouble and my appetite was so poor I just had to force down every mouthful I ate, and the little I managed to eat in this way, even if nothing more than a small piece of toast, would cause me intense misery. It would lie heavy on my stomach and gas would form and I would bloat something dreadful. I also suffered from constipation so bad I had to be taking some sort of laxative nearly all the time, and would have such dizzy spells at times it was all I could do to keep from falling. Finally my nerves got in such bad condition I could get but little sleep and the little I did manage to get did not seem to do me any good, as I would always get up feeling tired and worn out. I lost considerable weight and became so weak and run down I was not able to work, and had about come to the conclusion I would have to give up entirely."

"I had tried any number of different medicines, but none of them did me any good. I had been reading so much about the good Tanlac was doing others and as some of the statements were from people whose conditions were described as similar to mine I decided to try it, and I had not taken a whole bottle when I began to get better. My appetite improved wonderfully and my nerves began to get in better condition. I continued taking it and continued to improve, until now I am entirely over all my troubles. I can eat anything I want without suffering from any bad after-effects, and can sleep all night long as peacefully as a child and get up feeling fine. I am never troubled with constipation and never become dizzy any more."

As I said several members of my family have taken Tanlac and in every instance it has proved itself to be a remarkable medicine and has given entire satisfaction. I keep it in my home all the time as a family medicine and never expect to be without it again, and I never miss an opportunity to tell others about what a great medicine it is."

Tanlac is sold in Lima at Hunter's Drug Store and the leading druggists in every town.

LEADER FOR SATURDAY

SALE OF PURE SILK HOSE

\$1.45

WORTH \$2.25

SATURDAY—A late shipment of Women's pure silk thread hose, buster brown make, fashioned in black and brown only and specially priced at \$1.45

TWINK WASHES-DYES 10c

SATURDAY—Introducing Twinkle washes and dyes, made by the same factory of the well known LUX—all wanted colors at 10c box—Main floor.

\$2.75 BLACK TAFFETA \$2.19

SATURDAY—36 inch Black silk Taffeta, pure skein dye and specially priced tomorrow at only \$2.19 yard—Main floor.

\$2.75 BLEACHED SHEETS \$1.89

SATURDAY—81 by 90 Pepperal Bleached Sheets, wide hem and seamless and specially priced tomorrow at \$1.89—Main floor.

HEAVY OUTFINGS 14 1/2c

SATURDAY—BARGAIN BASEMENT—Outfing remnants, different size pieces—a big value and priced at 14 1/2c yard.

GINGHAM REMNANTS 24 1/2c

SATURDAY—BARGAIN BASEMENT—One lot of Gingham remnants in pretty plaids and stripes, 27 inches wide at 24 1/2c yard.

35c LONGCLOTH REMNANT 25c

SATURDAY — BARGAIN BASEMENT — Longcloth remnants; a very fine quality and a big value, specially priced at 25c yard.

BLEACHED MUSLIN 23c

SATURDAY—BARGAIN BASEMENT—36 inch Bleached Muslin, soft finish and specially priced tomorrow at only 23c yard.

A GIGANTIC FINAL Clearance of Millinery

VALUES TO \$10

\$1.98 \$2.98

RICH AND STYLISH VELVET HATS

SATURDAY—A complete clearance of Women's Fine Winter Hats, made of rich Velvet in dozens of stylish shapes and trimmings—there are just two groups and every one will be closed out—don't overlook this grand opportunity—there are still several months of service for these hats and priced at \$1.98 and \$2.98—2nd floor.

ARE YOU GOING SOUTH?

The new satin and straw combination Hats have just arrived and are specially priced for tomorrow at \$4.95, \$5.50 and \$7.95.

Sale of Girls' Warm WINTER COATS \$12.50

SATURDAY—One group of girls' pretty warm winter Coats for dresses or school wear—made of all wool velour, Polo cloth, Treeds, mercerized plush and velvet in loose back or belted styles, fully lined and neatly trimmed—a very big special for tomorrow and specially priced at only \$12.50.

GIRLS ALL WOOL DRESSES \$8.95

SATURDAY—One group of Girls all wool serge Dresses are sharply reduced for quick selling, made of french or storm serge, embroidered, stock and pleated effects, neatly trimmed and in sizes to 14 years—a big value for one day only and specially priced at only \$8.95.

(Leader Store—2nd floor.)

Men! EVERY SUIT AND OVERCOAT!

10% Off

SATURDAY—Your unrestricted choice of any suit or Overcoat in our stock at only 10% off the regular prices—there is nothing reserved. Here is a good opportunity to save several dollars on your clothes—buy clothes now you will pay considerable higher next Spring

N. W. OHIO'S FASTEST GROWING DEPT. STORE

LEADER FOR SATURDAY

A CLEARANCE OF FASHIONABLE COATS! COATS!

DIVIDED INTO 3 GROUPS

VALUES TO \$45

\$25

VALUES TO \$55

\$35

VALUES TO \$69.50

\$45

SATURDAY—Three groups for Women and Misses selected for quick selling, belted or loose back models in full lined with silk or satin, trimmed with fur collars and cuffs or self materials in wanted fabrics and shades—come early for best selection.

Sale of Plush Coats

WORTH \$65

LONG MODELS—SHORT MODELS

SATURDAY—A special sale of Plush Coats full lined with guaranteed satin linings, collar cut and bottom of Kit Coney full length or or short models, belted or button trimmed and in sizes to 40, specially priced at \$45—2nd floor.

(Leader—2nd floor)

EXQUISITE HEAVY GEORGETTE BLOUSES

AT \$10.50

—Exquisite Georgette Crope Blouses for Suit or dress worn handsomely belted and embroidered in several beautiful styles and priced at \$10.50—2nd floor.

Charming Silk Blouses

\$5.95

—Charming plaid and striped silk Blouses for street or Business wear, high or low necks—a special group and priced tomorrow at only \$5.95—2nd floor.

WOMEN'S WARM OUTFING GOWNS

At \$1.98

—Outfing gowns in plain and striped patterns and priced at \$1.98—2nd floor.

SILK CAMISOLES \$1.98

—Extra quality silk camisoles in flesh and white and specially priced at \$1.98—2nd floor.

FLEECE KIMONOS \$2.98

—Fleece lined kimonos, beautiful patterns and specially priced at \$2.98—2nd floor.

KNIT-OUTFING SKIRTS 98c

—Women's Knit and outfing skirts in assorted styles and colors, specially priced at 98c—2nd floor.

ALL WOOL TOQUES 49c

—Children's all wool yarn toques, beautiful color and specially priced at 49c—2nd floor.

BIG SAVINGS!

\$6.75 WOOLNAP BLANKETS

\$5.95

SATURDAY—Fancy wool nap Blankets, extra large size 50 by 50 inches—very big special for tomorrow and priced at only \$5.95—2nd floor.

\$1.00 WINTER SHAKES

—Old Shakes, extra large size 50 by 50 inches and 7 feet long—very big special for tomorrow and priced at 10c—2nd floor.

\$2.95

—Full length, extra large size 50 by 50 inches—very big special for tomorrow and priced at 29c—2nd floor.

He's Coming Soon! WHO?

Watch and See!

Christmas Savings and Vacation Club

NOW OPEN

A SURE AND EASY WAY TO SAVE!

Take out a membership now and make sure of receiving a check in June and December.

JOIN NOW

The Old National Bank

"The Bank Where You Feel at Home"

Opera House Block Cor. Main and High

A NEW STORE COMING TO LIMA

We will carry a complete line of best quality wearing apparel for men women and children.

"BEST VALUE FOR LOWEST PRICE"

UNDER SELLING STORE

206 1/2 N. Main St., Over Rowland's Furniture Store

WATCH FOR OPENING AD.

THE LEADER STORE

SPATS \$1.89

Worth \$2.50

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MURDER MYSTERY IN CLEVELAND

Foul Play Indicated By Wounds On Body Found

CLEVELAND—Police here ushered in the New Year with a murder mystery. They found the body of Paul Repke, 52, on the New York Central tracks inside the city limits.

There were two wounds on the body's head and neck. One hundred feet away was found Repke's hat. Friends told the police the man had considerable money and jewelry when last seen. The pockets had been emptied.

It is believed the man was killed and robbed and the body thrown on the tracks to conceal the murder.

THE NUMBER FOUR is in great disfavor in Japan, because its name, "shi" is the term for death. There are no fours or forty-fours in the telephone directories of that country.

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COMMERCIAL EDUCATION leads to good positions. Young men and women who are prepared to handle the work of the MODERN BANK or OFFICE in a satisfactory manner are in constant demand. In the past 70 days we have had \$9 calls. Many of these we were unable to fill. Our courses are thorough and practical. Individual instruction. If thoroughly qualified a position is yours. Write us for particulars, or better, call at our office and let us show you the advantages of OUR SCHOOL.

NEW TERM JANUARY 5, 1920

Lima Business College

PHONE: MAIN 3320—RICE 5128

COLLEGE BUILDING

THREE FIRES OCCUR ON FIRST TWO DAYS OF YEAR

Two fires on the first day of the year and one on the second opened the 1920 for Lima fire department.

A poorly built fireplace was responsible for Chief Mack for a fire at the home of Barry O'Donnell, 187 Garfield avenue late last night. The damage was slight.

Stove pipes were blamed for fires at the home of Ira J. Russell, 125 Franklin avenue, and the Backus Paper stock company. Little damage resulted at either place.

Chief Mack holds the cold weather responsible for the number of calls in the past week or so. Attempts on the part of the residents and business men to keep their homes and stores warm, he says, will bring numerous small fires. He advises care in handling fires.

THE BURMESE have a curious idea regarding coins. They prefer those with a female head on them, believing that coins with male heads on them are not so lucky.

BACON CLAIMED AS AUTHOR OF "DON QUIXOTE"

VIENNA—Herr Alfred Weber, formerly Austrian Court Councillor, who is an enthusiastic Shakespeare student, has published a work entitled "Shakespeare-Bacon-Cervantes" in which he claims the authorship not only of the plays attributed to Shakespeare, but also of Cervantes' "Don Quixote" for Bacon.

Herr Weber also declares that in depicting the characters of Hamlet, Macbeth, Othello and Brutus, Bacon really described his own personality. The volume is purchased with astonishing avidity in Vienna, where Shakespeare plays have for years enjoyed great popularity.

EAT SOME
EDGEMONT
CRACKERS
With Every Meal

BANDITS ARE HUNTED for whiskey. Valuables were stolen by the bandits who, apparently, were hunting for liquor. They were unsuccessful in their search, servants at the home of E. C. Purcell, Cincinnati business man, Thursday, while they searched the house identified.

Start the New Year Right

Have your home wired and enjoy all the conveniences of electricity.

CALL US AND WE WILL GIVE YOU AN ESTIMATE ON YOUR HOME

The Wentworth-Dean Electric Co.
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WORLD'S LARGEST SHOE RETAILERS

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AMERICA'S
GREATEST
SHOE VALUE

THE
CHOICE OF
FOUR MILLION
AMERICANS

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\$5.98
\$10 to \$12
VALUE

See this avalanche of competition defying values. Compare them with other shoes selling at \$10-\$12 yet as high as \$15 and you'll buy not one but two pairs of these famous shoes—because in these times of high prices you'll realize it's a life time opportunity. At this smashing rock bottom price they won't last long—COME EARLY.

DON'T
MISS
THIS SALE
STARTLING
REDUCTIONS

SEE
THEM
TODAY
AMAZING
VALUES

SPECIAL BARGAIN--
HAVANA BROWN KID--Cloth Top Full Cut Louis Heel, Aluminum Plate... \$4.45

LOT No. 1. An unusually serviceable, dressy shoe. Patent Leather Vamps—Black Kid Top—Lace style, Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98	LOT No. 5. A long wearing, dressy Bashup Grey Kid shoe—Very stylish cut—L style—Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98
LOT No. 2. Latest Metropolitan style. Patent Leather Vamps—Stylish Grey Buck Tops—Lace style Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98	LOT No. 6. An Ultra dress shoe—Patent Leather Vamps Black Buck Tops—Button style with Milo buttons—Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98
LOT No. 3. A very popular Fifth Avenue model—Patent Leather Vamps—Black Kid Top, Button style with Milo buttons and Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98	LOT No. 7. Beautiful Havana Brown Vamps with stylish Brown Buck butt top—and Milo buttons—Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98
LOT No. 4. Unquestionably the greatest shoe value ever sold at so low a price. Patent Leather Vamps—Grey Buck Tops—Button Style with Milo buttons and Louis Heels—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98	LOT No. 8. A very popular Model Patent leather vamp with black bucktop, Louis Heel, Aluminum plate—finely finished throughout—Special reduction Sale price.....	\$5.98

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Reliability and dependability are its foundation stones.

Its moderate prices—which frequently carry substantial savings—appeal especially to people who practice genuine economy.

No Clerks—No Deliveries—No C. O. D.—No Charges—You save by waiting on yourself.

\$3.75 Cotton Blankets size 64x78 color grey with Pink and Blue Borders, pair	\$2.97	Men's heavy mixed work sock ribbed tops and seamless foot the pair	19c
\$2.00 Bed Sheets seamless size 81x96 only 36 sheets left in this lot	\$1.38	Women's black lisle hose medium weight all sizes the pair	33c
Men's Heavy Blue Chambray Shirts, double stitched and full size each	97c	Men's black thread silk hose seconds mercerized toe, heel and top the pair	49c
Fine quality dress gingham in desirable plaid patterns 32 in. wide the yard	38c	Men's Cotton lisle hose colors black, navy grey all sizes the pair	29c
Hope Muslin Bleached mill ends 1 to 8 yard pieces the yard	29c	Infants Cashmere hose with silk heel and toe seconds in black and white all sizes the pair	33c
Heavy cotton flannel plain colors of Pink, Blue and Cream wide widths the yard	29c	Women's real silk hose in black, brown and white seconds of a high quality hose self service price	89c
Women's fleeced union suits white high low neck half sleeves and long legs all are ankle length each	\$1.59	Men's fine quality dress shirts in very desirable striped patterns cut full size coat style all have soft cuff a bargain	\$1.28
Boy's heavy fleeced grey union Suits closed neck all sizes	\$1.09		

Pure Food Self-Service Dept.

SERVE YOURSELF AND SAVE CLERK HIRE

3 POUND SACK FLOUR	33c	NO. 2 PUMPKIN PER CAN	9c	CRACKED HOMINY 2 POUND	13c
OLD RELIABLE COFFEE	47c	NO. 3 PUMPKIN PER CAN	11c	NAVY BEANS 2 POUND	19c
PAN CAKE FLOUR PACKAGE	12c	NO. 3 HOMINY PER CAN	11c	PINTO BEANS 2 POUND	17c
POST TOASTIES PACKAGE	12c	NO. 3 KRAUT PER CAN	13c	HEAD RICE 2 POUND	31c
SEEDED RAISINS PACKAGE	23c	NO. 3 TOMATOES PER CAN	17c	LARGE CAN INSTANT POSTUM	44c
SEEDLESS RAISINS PACKAGE	23c	FINE SWEET CORN PER CAN	14c	KENTON BAKING POWDER POUND	18c

SATURDAY SPECIALS

14c Loaf Bread (One to a customer)	11c
Fine Sweet Oranges, Dozen	30c
Grape Fruit, 2 For	13c
Mixed Nuts, per pound	34c

CARRY YOUR GOODS AND SAVE DELIVERY HIRE

WORK OF TAKING CENSUS STARTS

30,000 Enumerators Counting Noses All Over Country

WASHINGTON—Taking of the 14th census, officially began Friday in every part of the United States. Ninety thousand enumerators were ready to start their work.

The inventory will show how many million people there are in the United States as well as the total monetary value of farms, mines and manufactures. It will also show how much of the country's acreage is used for farming and how many persons are employed in each industry.

Work of enumerating is being directed from Washington by Sam L. Rogers, head of the federal census bureau, who has divided the country into 379 regions, along the lines of congressional districts. Cost of taking the census will be approximately \$22,000,000, it is estimated.

Enumerators are paid from two to four cents for every name. They are required by oath not to divulge any

I HAVE HAD CATARRH SO BAD it affected my hearing so I could not hear my congregation sing in church. I have been cured by a treatment of Dr. Burkhardt's Vegetable Compound. Rev. A. S. Andrews, Salt Lake City, Utah.

"EATSOME" EDGEMONT CRACKERS
With Every Meal

information given them. Last decennial census figures showed the population of the United States to be 93,000,000. Figures for 1920 are expected to reach more than 100,000,000.

Altho the enumerator will not take more than two weeks or a month, it will be late in April before results

begin to become known. The work in all districts does not actually start Friday. Local supervisors can commence counting when the time is considered best in their regions.

FRESH MULLANES TAFFIES AND GOODIES.
CENTRAL NEWS STAND.

The LYRIC

PICTURES THAT EXCEL

TODAY AND TONIGHT EXTRA ATTRACTION

MARJAH

will, at 7:30 P. M., on the stage of this theatre, awaken the lady who has been in a hypnotic sleep in the window of the Metropolitan 5 & 50 Cent Store, since 9 o'clock this morning.

ALSO

Pauline Fredrick

The Peace of Roaring River

Wright's Cash Grocery

134 EAST HIGH ST.

PURE LARD	25c
PORK CHOPS	25c
PORK SHOULDER ROASTS	19c
PORK SAUSAGE Home Made	25c
BOILING BEEF	12 1/2c
CHOICE BEEF ROASTS	18c

GROCERIES

OLD RELIABLE COFFEE	47c
GOOD BULK COFFEE	35c
CORN MEAL Lb	4c
RICE Lb	15c
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR 5 Lbs	39c
POTATOES Pk	55c
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR	\$1.70

EVERY ARTICLE IN OUR STORE AT CUT RATE PRICES

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FREE DELIVERY

Pan Cake Flour, pkg.	10c	Skinned Hams, lb.	28c
Good Coffee, lb.	30c	Bacon, lb.	25 & 35c
Apple Butter, lb.	16c	Cala Hams, lb.	22c
Apple Butter, 2 lb. pail	\$3.90	Country Sausage, lb.	28c
Flour, Larabees	\$1.80	Kraut, lb.	10c
Flour, Gold Medal	\$1.80	Lima Beans, 2 cans	25c
Buck Wheat, 5 lbs.	40c	Green Beans, 2 cans	25c
Peas, 3 cans	25c	Hominy, 2 cans	25c
Peach Butter, lb.	30c	Pumpkin, 2 cans	25c
Strawberry Preserves	35c	Spaghetti and	
Corn Meal, sack	17c	Macaroni, 3 for	25c
Syrup, 5 lb. pail	45 & 50c	Corn, 2 cans	25c
Scrap Tobacco, 3 for	25c	Tomatoes, large can	20c
Nut Butterine, lb.	32c	Tomatoes, small can	15c
Rolled Oats, 2 pkgs.	25c	Bread, 2 loaves	25c
Grape Nuts, 2 pkgs.	27c	Black Walnuts, 2 lbs.	25c
Post Toasties, pkg.	19c	Hickory Nuts, lb.	15c
Cocoa, lb.	40c	Fresh Graham	
Mustard, qt. jar	25c	Wafers, 50 for	22c
Corn Flakes	10c	Large Sour Pickles, doz.	30c
Pine Apple, can	40c	Navy Beans, lb.	10c
Shelled Pop Corn, 2 lbs.	25c	Navy Beans, 10 lbs.	95c
Pure Lard, lb.	26c	Palm Olive Soap, 3 bars	25c

EILERMAN'S JANUARY SALE OF MEN'S AND YOUNG MEN'S FASHIONABLE

OVERCOATS



TO THE MAN

who is enthusiastic over the section and wearing of engagingly styled clothes, this sale of fine Overcoats will prove remarkably desirable. It places at disposal every new thought and style and a "hot-to-goodness" saving of 10%

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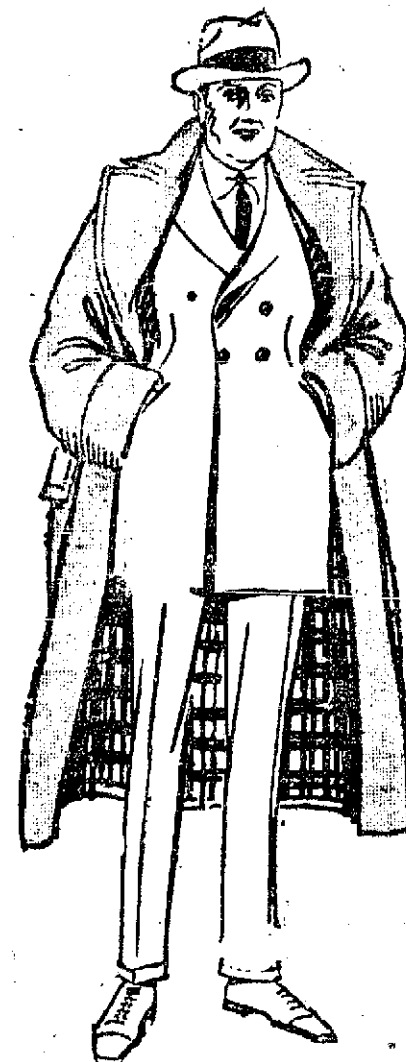
Those men who have not as yet bought their Overcoat, or who see the need of one in the later months of this new year, will act wisely, if they choose from this great stock, during the month of January—

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and from all indications, this continual "almost daily" advance will extend into the Fall and Winter of 1920-21.

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to
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1st



THE MAN

who wears clothes that bear the mark of "Eilerman" has found the secret to satisfactory clothes-buying. He's like the fellow who, after trying many different brands of cigars, discovers the best possible make at a medium price—then sticks to it.

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Here's What 10% Discount Means

\$18.00 Overcoats	\$16.20	\$32.50 Overcoats	\$28.25
\$20.00 Overcoats	\$18.00	\$35.00 Overcoats	\$31.50
\$22.50 Overcoats	\$20.25	\$37.50 Overcoats	\$33.75
\$25.00 Overcoats	\$22.50	\$40.00 Overcoats	\$36.00
\$27.50 Overcoats	\$24.75	\$45.00 Overcoats	\$40.50
\$30.00 Overcoats	\$27.00	\$50.00 Overcoats	\$45.00

10%

DISCOUNT!

THE PRICE
TAG

on every garment is marked in figures, just as you've seen them during the course of the season. Deduct 10% from these prices and you have the saving. We know you'll appreciate our fairness.

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A FAIR
OFFER

A lot of people have been heard to say that "they did not believe in sales." We don't blame them—on the contrary, we congratulate them on their intelligence. This is not a fabulous "make-believe" sale—

WE SAY 10% OFF

January Clearance Sale

THERE are places where cheaper prices are quoted, but the price quoted are for cheaper goods.

When a price is quoted at Bluem's as worth so much and reduced to so much, you can absolutely rest assured that the statement is true in every respect.

We do not quote a comparative price, comparing the sale price with the former regular selling price, unless it is in every sense the TRUTH.

You can be sure that the goods offered during this January Clearance Sale are BETTER VALUE IN EVERY RESPECT than the sale price asks for.



Toilet Articles For Men

One Table of Toilet Articles for Men—such as Military Brushes with good stiff bristles at \$1 each.
Tooth Brush holders at 35c each.

Soap Boxes at 25c.

Metal box (nickel) with shaving soap 25c.

Comb 25c.

Men's pocket sewing kit to take on a trip in case of emergency—a metal case with thread, needles and thimble, complete 15c.

These articles were taken from Fitall Cases we had for soldiers during the war—they were in Khaki cases and we are offering the articles from the cases at lower prices than we can buy them for.

The cases may come in handy for Boy Scouts—they are offered at 10c each—Empty Khaki Cases for toilet articles.

The above mentioned articles are rare bargains—a good chance to fit up your old case with new articles for traveling or every day use.

(FIRST FLOOR)

Hose

One lot Ladies' Lisle and Cotton Hose in white or black. Mostly small sizes—specially priced for Clearance Sale at 5 pairs for \$1.

(HOSIERY SECTION)
(FIRST FLOOR)

Serving Trays

Values \$10 and \$12.50 reduced to \$6.75 and \$7.95 for Clearance. Hand painted on mahogany, covered by glass top—very handsome trays at exceptionally low prices for the quality.

(FIRST FLOOR)

One Table

CRETONNE

In Pinks, Blues and combinations of colors—90c, \$7.00 and \$1.25 values at 79c yard.

(FIFTH FLOOR)

SUITS, DRESSES, COATS and FURS

Continue at the reduced prices on the third floor.

Many extreme reductions made on this floor to insure clearance during January.

(FIRST FLOOR)

Values In Ladies' and Misses' Suits, Coats and Dresses That Can Not Be Surpassed

One lot Dresses up to \$37.50 at \$27.50.

One lot of good Winter Coats, values up to \$45, at \$29.75. Ladies', Misses' and Juniors' Winter Suits, plain and trimmed are reduced to such ridiculous prices we dislike to quote them. It is a rare opportunity to secure an extra good value in a suit, at an exceptionally low price. You must see them to really appreciate the big reductions we have made in the Winter Suit stock.

(THIRD FLOOR)

Silks and Velvets

Fancy Silks in Plaids, Stripes and Checks, at half their value.

Black and Blue Velvet at less than half price.

Corduroys for Bath Robes, Children's Coats and Dresses reduced to \$1.35 per yard for Clearance Sale.

Velveteens in dark shades at 98c yard.

Odd Lots of Printed Georgette Crepe reduced to \$2.50 per yard.

(SILK AND VELVET SECTION)
(SECOND FLOOR)

Manicure Tools

Ivory Handled Files, Shoe Hooks, Corn Knife, Tweezers, Cuticle knife—at 25c each. The handles have become slightly discolored and we are making a large sacrifice to get rid of these articles. They are every one worth much more than the Clearance Sale Price.

(FIRST FLOOR)

Three Tables of Bargains

We have arranged three tables in the Art Department full of articles of prices you cannot resist. On the \$1 table are Jars, Vases, Flower Filled Baskets, Sanitos Luncheon Sets, Lacquer Boxes and many other articles all at a much greater value than the price they are selling for.

On the \$2 table are Candle Sticks with different colored candles, Novelty Vases, Lacquer Boxes, Nut Bowls and many other novelties.

On the \$3 table among many other things are Imported Cigarette Pickers, Work Baskets, Trays and several items you will be astonished to find at this low price.

(ART SECTION)

(FIRST FLOOR)

Luggage

Leather Traveling Bags, Cow Hide, Walls Grain, at \$7.50.

Matting Suit Cases, Cane and Rattan from \$3.50 to \$10.

Other Cow Hide Traveling Bags, leather lining, reduced from \$15 to \$20.

(FIRST FLOOR)

Lunch Boxes

With Thermos Bottle and all, complete, \$4 and \$4.50, go at \$3 for Clearance Sale—On the \$3 table in the Art Section—First floor. These Cases are wonderful values.

(FIRST FLOOR)

Floor Lamps

Polihrome Base with Gold Silk Shade—Extra fine materials throughout, many others at special prices. This was \$65—Sale Price is \$44.

THE LAMPS, Mahogany base, with blue silk shade, \$35 in regular stock. Sale Price \$19.

Hose

Women's Thread Silk Hose, full fashioned, with lisle reinforced garter top, toe and heel. Brown, Navy, Mode, Grey, Black and White—\$2.25 value at \$1.89 pair.

Women's Silk Boot Hose, extra quality thread silk—seamless—Mode, Grey, Browns, Black and White at \$1 pair—special value.

SPECIAL PRICES ON WOMEN'S GLOVES—CHAMOISETTE—BROKEN SIZES—SOME SOILED—REAL BARGAINS

(GLOVE AND HOSIERY SECTION)
(FIRST FLOOR)

Yarns

For January Clearance we offer again the Knitting Yarn—all colors and shades—Yarn worth nearly as much to buy as we are selling it for.

This YARN BARGAIN is a treat to those who are doing after Holiday knitting and you should take advantage of the reduced price, 39c.

(ART SECTION)
(FIRST FLOOR)

Kimona Crepe

Special value in Kimono Crepe—Regular 50c quality at 39c for Clearance Sale.

All Linen Damask

In these times All Linen means something. Our special showing for Clearance Sale embraces numbers at \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4 and \$4.50 per yard and all are REAL BARGAINS at the price.

Mercerized Damask, \$1.50 value at \$1.35.

Mercerized Damask, \$1.25 value at \$1.10.

Bed Spreads

Exceptionally good values in Crochet Bed Spreads, hemmed or scalloped at \$2.50 for Clearance Sale—Regular \$3 numbers.

White Goods, Waistings, Long Cloth, Nainsook and Colored Wash Goods at

20% Reduction

(LINEN SECTION)
(SECOND FLOOR)

Ruffled Organdies

For Skirts, Flouncings—\$2.50 values at \$2.25.

Embroidered Voiles, \$2 values at \$1.59.

(FIRST FLOOR)



Real Bargains at BLUEM'S



Cedar Chests at Reduced Prices

\$14.85 to \$29.75

Extra Size Rugs

Axminster, Body Brussels, Wilton, 9x15 to 11 ft. 3 in. by 15—all good patterns at REDUCED PRICES.

RUGS, ALL WEAVES AND ALL REGULAR SIZES—Large assortment of patterns and colors.

Wiltons at \$94.50, \$99 and to \$148.

Axminsters, \$40.50 to \$58.50.

(FIFTH FLOOR)

Table Lamp

TABLE BOUDOIR LAMPS in Blue, Yellow and Tan shades—every one a real bargain. Were up to \$9.00. Sale Price \$5.50.

Massive Mahogany Base with Parchment shade—was \$28.50, Sale Price \$17.

SILK SHADES for Floor Lamps in Rose and Blue, \$19.50, \$20 and \$22.50 values at \$14 each.

ONE LOT Mahogany Floor Standards—two lights—10 standards in the lot—were \$22.50. Sale price \$18.

Odd Lots in curtains in net scrim, Marquisette, one, two and three pairs of a pattern—\$2.50 to \$15 pair—Now 1/2 price.

(FIFTH FLOOR)

Children's Coats

Of good warm cloths—very stylish, and excellent values at 1/4 off the regular price for Clearance.

Children's Hats at 25% discount.

Children's Fur Sets 25% discount.

Extra Value

Union Suits

For Ladies—in good heavy Fleece Lined Union Suits, \$2 to \$2.50 suits, less 25%—Wool.

Cotton Union Suits in good heavy weight, also 25% off.

Children's

Sweater Suits

For the cold days—Slightly soiled, in 2 to 4 year sizes—also several sweaters for children in slightly soiled condition—25% discount.

Bloomers

In black—69c to \$1.19, values exceptional—all go at 1/4 off.

(UNDERWEAR SECTION)
(FOURTH FLOOR)

Brassiers Half Price

One small lot of Brassierest HALF PRICE—sizes from 34 to 50—Regular value to \$1.50—Clearance Sale HALF PRICE.

Princess Slip

Georgette Princess Slip, \$.50 value at \$15

Corsets

Broken lot of Corsets—values up to \$12, go in the Clearance Sale at HALF PRICE—a rare opportunity to secure a real bargain.

Petticoats

Delightful Satin Petticoats Navy—former price \$6.50—Clearance Sale Price \$5.

Heatherbloom Tops with Silk Flouncings, \$4.25.

Womer's Pajamas

In a good quality of Miras, in white, lavender, blue and Nile Green—\$2.50 value HALF PRICE for Clearance Sale.

Combinations

Combination Drawers and Corset Covers. Of a good quality Nainsook. Values \$2 and \$3—Clearance Sale Price \$1 each.

Boucoir Caps

At HALF PRICE—were 50c to \$1 each.

(HAT SECTION)
(FOURTH FLOOR)

Embroidered Organdies

\$1.98 value at \$1.50 yard—Rose, Lavender, etc.

WEATERS REDUCED

One lot Alvyoo Sweaters, also one lot. All Silk Sweaters go HALF PRICE.

(FIRST FLOOR)



THRILLER STAGED ON MAIN ST.

Police and Alleged Auto Thief
Principals in Action

South Main street residents were treated to a real movie thriller Wednesday morning.

Detectives Billstein and Reed were the principals, with an alleged auto thief the third actor in the scene.

Local police had been notified of the theft of an automobile from Mansfield. They scouted around Lima and discovered that the alleged thief was in the city. This morning, they went after him.

At the corner of Vine and Main streets, Detective Reed saw the machine. A young man was filling the radiator with water. Reed walked up to him.

"You're my prisoner, young man," Reed told the astonished youth, and made a grab for his arm.

The thief jumped. A car was coming. The thief stumbled on the car track in front of the approaching car. The car hit him and threw him out of the way.

Before the two detectives could pull their guns, the car passed between them and the man for whom they were searching, and stopped.

Reed and Billstein ran around the car only to see the man a block away, running as fast as he could go. Reed pulled his gun and shot at him, but the shot failed to take effect.

The prisoner escaped—but police recovered the machine.

'GENE GETS ANOTHER YEAR AS ASSISTANT PROSECUTOR

Eugene T. Lippincott, for two years assistant prosecuting attorney of Allen county, was appointed another year Wednesday, by John L. Cable, prosecuting attorney. He will receive a salary of \$1,200.

Judge Klinger ruled \$1,920 might be spent to conduct the office. The court administered the oath of office to Lippincott Wednesday afternoon.

GETS PEN TERM

Unable to provide bond in the sum of \$500, Charles Hemenway, 53, Springfield, formerly of 317 south Washington avenue, was sentenced Wednesday to the Ohio State penitentiary for non-support of a minor child.



For the pure joy of good eating, use KINGNUT. Its distinctive flavor makes the finest food taste even better.

Made from the goodness of cocoanuts, this pure, wholesome margarin contains no animal fats. It's always good—always the same.

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CONFESS JUDGMENT

L. C. Kline and his wife, Dot L. Kline, Westminster, confessed judgment in common pleas court Wednesday afternoon in the sum of \$542, in favor of William Ward, on a note due.

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EDGEMONT
CRACKERS**
With Every Meal

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worry, over-work or imperfect nourishment, all in a measure contribute to and are the beginnings of nervous prostration.

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is a decided help to those who are nervous, in that it provides an easily assimilated food that quickly builds up the general health by nourishing the whole body. Give less attention to worry; enjoy regular rest and sleep and take Scott's Emulsion regularly after meals. Scott's never fails to nourish and strengthen.



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OUR NINETEENTH ANNUAL

JANUARY SALE

OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES'

Coats, Suits, Dresses, Skirts, Blouses,

Children's Coats and Furs

STARTS SATURDAY AND CONTINUES THRU JANUARY

AS USUAL

The Best Values Will Be Found At Gregg's
Over 300 Luxurious Cloth Coats
at Reductions of 25 to 50%

Now you may buy that coat which earlier in the season you considered beyond your purse—Luxurious wraps in the finest of fabrics—and trimmed with beautiful furs priced so low that choosing one will be a source of real delight to the thrifty—Prices in many cases have been reduced to less than cost to manufacture—The Size and Style assortment is complete.

Over 200 Fine Cloth Suits
at Reductions of 25 to 50%

Suits now being sacrificed are not at all unlike suits we the buying for Spring—Those who fully realize conditions in the suit markets will not hesitate to buy at present January prices—Our collection consists of Suits of every type and every fabric and in all the popular shades—Fur trimmed and tailored suits in all sizes—Prices are now reduced for immediate clearance—The assortment is so complete that selection will not be difficult.

About 450 Silk and Wool Dresses
Priced For Immediate Clearance

Pretty frocks of taffeta, satin, serge, wool jersey, Crepe Satin, tricotine and tricolette have been reduced for final clearance—Two groups are especially attractive—One at \$19.75—consisting of Dresses of every description formerly selling at \$25 to \$29.75. One at \$25—Consisting of Dresses formerly selling at \$35 to \$45—All the the higher priced dresses are correspondingly reduced.

All Children's Coats at About Half

Our entire stock of children's Coats—about 200 have been grouped in three lots. Those formerly priced at \$10 to \$12.00 are now \$7.95—Those formerly priced at \$15 to \$18.50 now \$9.85—Those formerly priced \$19.75 to \$25 are now \$12.95. The collection consists of Coats for girls between the ages of 2 and 16 years—Clever styles, durable cloths—All the popular colors.



Simultaneously With the January Sale of Apparel Comes the Announcement of Our
**TENTH ANNUAL MANUFACTURER'S
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Featuring a Collection of Over \$30,000 Worth of Fine Furs

**AT 25 TO 50% LESS THAN
REGULAR**

In presenting this fur event we call to your attention the rapid rise in the fur market during the past twelve months—Indications are that during the next year prices will in many cases almost double—Hence we suggest the purchase of your next year's Furs during January.

Luxurious Coats
Now \$75 to \$495

Animal Scarfs
Now \$9.85 to \$300

MATCHED SETS
Now \$50 to \$400

Capes and Stoles
Now \$25 to \$250

Coatees
Now \$50 to \$300

MUFFS—CHOCKERS—THROWS
And Childrens Furs
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The New Year.

YOU ARE PROBABLY all set for the new year; the year of promise, the year of possibilities. Study of the greatest achievements of the world shows that contrary to belief, age is no bar to accomplishment. It is customary for those starting in life to claim that opportunities do not present themselves as they did a half century ago, yet every decade sees its new inventors, its new financiers, its new manufacturers.

IT WAS THE PAST TEN years that brought us our new coterie of motor millionaires, headed by Ford and Willys. These men were struggling for existence ten years ago. The previous decade brought us the Pittsburgh steel crop of millionaires; the closing decade of the nineteenth century furnished the harvest of railroad millionaires.

FOR THIRTY YEARS there has been a different line of business and achievement marked by its pioneers. This ten years will see still a new business come forward, altho as yet unknown. It is your opportunity to look ahead and ride with the new generation of industrial kings.

IN LITTLE THINGS the New Year opens a vast vista of opportunity. The poor man of today need not remain poor; the unsuccessful can become successful, if he is willing to pay the price. To the young the world beckons; to the middle aged, the doors open wide; and to those passed the prime of life, what matters? It is but a trial heat we place here before us, the only one in the race when to the swift. When we have had our contests on the earthly course of events, we have conquer or lost, and our racing days are over. Then should we adjust to live comfortably and abundantly, not waiting in vain, nor pining over our plight. Bid the New Year, on this first business day, thrice welcome and determine to make it your year for good, for wealth, for charity, for health and for love to mankind.

Short Ones.

NOTHING TO LOOK forward to now but the income tax.

PEOPLE USED to complain of damp cellars, but not anymore.

A PERMANENT forecast that will always be correct; dry and drier.

ONE CRITIC refers to a movie as "a good sound play." What d'ye mean, sound?

WHEN A MAN announces that he is out for the presidency, "out" is generally right.

Our New Administration.

POST-MORTEM OVER CITY Administrations are about as useful and as filled with human interest as post-mortems over a loved one and the verdict is the same—they are dead. City Administrations come and go, each promising as it comes to do wonderful things and especially to economize; and each as it goes to leave unfinished promises and a depleted treasury.

OUR PASSING ADMINISTRATION is doing just that, many uncompleted things; altho long in the building; and certainly a sadly wrecked treasury. The dying administration is therefore no better nor no worse than the average city administration, legislature, state administration, congress, or national administration.

DEPLETED TREASURES are caused in the main by growth and demand of better municipal conditions. Lima has never ceased growing faster and more furiously than its public income; a few years ago we needed school houses; we needed more paved streets; we needed more water supply. Some of these immediate and urgent needs we have secured, and we must now turn to our other needs. These are the work of the new Administration and for it we bespeak kindness and extend our hopes.

A Christian War in China

THE BIBLE has been the cause of many a bloody war, but none more peculiar than the one in China. The Taiping revolt in China in the middle of the 19th century. A Chinese Christian taking the Government examinations at Canton, was handed some Christian tracts, together with a few chapters of the Bible. For ten years he studied the tracts, and at a time he was desperately ill had visions that showed him to be destined to destroy demons and eventually to rule China. He set out to preach a garbled version of Christianity, gathered followers and was finally able to take a leading part in the revolt against the Manchus that was then going on. Hung Sin Tsuen, the self-styled Christian general, led his army against Nanking, captured that city, and marched to Peking. But one of his generals, jealous of the power of his leader, claimed at this time to be the Holy Ghost of the Christian religion, and the consequent division of command caused the disorganization of the force and its final defeat by Gordon.

MISS LIMA: "Our new Mayor has now had the pleasure of being sworn in; but he has yet to enjoy being sworn AT for the remainder of his term."

Love and Married Life

By IDA McCLONE GIBSON

THOUGHTS OF HOME

Thoroughly tired, after reading Helen's letter, and my visits from John and Alice, I allowed myself to be made ready for the night.

"The doctor says that you may get up tomorrow, if you wish," said the nurse.

"Oh, how splendid! Do you think I can go home soon?" I asked eagerly.

"I am sure you can," she answered.

"Then I'll ask him tomorrow if I may not be taken home in an ambulance! You can go with me, can't you, and stay with me until I am well again?"

"Yes," she answered. "I should love to go, if you want me. But you must go to sleep now, so that you may get all the strength possible."

Her information was so comforting that I forgot all about everything except that I was getting well, and I went to sleep almost as soon as I was left alone.

The next morning, after the doctor came, the nurse got me out into the big chair beside my bed. After she had arranged me in my pink bed coat and hair ribbon, she allowed me to take the hand glass and look at myself.

I was surprised and almost shocked when I caught the first glimpse of my face. Altho I had looked in the glass while I was lying down I looked so much paler sitting up.

REASON FOR IT

I suppose there is a psychological reason for this, for we do not expect one to look the picture of health while on a sick bed, but we unconsciously look for signs of health when one sits up.

I was much thinner. For this I was thankful and I smiled at myself—I confess there was vanity in the smile when I found that my illness had seemed to further refine my features. I knew I was looking my very best when the nurse placed a great sheath of pink roses on the white silk coverlet that had been placed across my knees.

"You look like a million dollars, Mrs. Gordon," she said gaily, and I smiled to myself a little bitterly, it is true as I recollected that the only money I had in the world had been practically given me by my husband's sister, while the great bunch of La France roses that made fragrant the atmosphere all about me and gave

septic or "germinal" influence in the tissues or in the blood of the host without seriously injuring the tissue cells or destroying the life of the host, no one with any knowledge of the nature of disease and of bacteriology takes such remedies seriously.

the last touch of luxuriousness to the ensemble, had been sent me by a man friend of my husband.

For the first time I looked about my room with seeing eyes. It was perfectly evident that John had insisted upon the finest suite in the hospital for me, for thru the door of my bedroom I noticed a little sitting room.

"Tomorrow I shall take you in there," said the nurse.

"Oh, wouldn't it be lovely, if day after tomorrow I could go home?"

ASKS ABOUT THE TRIP

When John came in I was full of the proposed trip and I asked him if he didn't think it would be lovely to have me back in our rooms.

"You bet it would, honey!" he answered. "When does the doctor say you can go?"

"He thought Mrs. Gordon would be able to go the last of the week if she was taken in an ambulance, and I went with her to help with her convalescence," the nurse interrupted.

"Bully! That's fine! We can put a bed in the little room we were going to make into a nursery for you."

"I thought that could be done," I answered, and I felt a coldness about my heart when I wondered if that little room would ever echo to the uncertain tread of tiny feet.

"I expect you read your letter from Helen? What did she say?" John asked abruptly.

"She just told me her side of the story," I said.

"She hasn't got any side. Any woman who has done what Helen Van Ness has done deserves no consideration whatever. And Bob Gaylord, I have about concluded, is a cad."

"But, John, you must give them both some credit for the courage of their convictions."

CASE OF LOSING HEADS

"Convictions! Nothing! It was just a case of losing their heads! Gaylord will come to his senses in a little while, and then she'll probably get it's coming to her."

"Any one would think, to hear you talk, John, that Bob and Helen were the first couple who had ever done a thing of this kind."

"Oh, I know there are lots of fools who kick up a scandal, but you must surely know, Katherine, that while there are hundreds of men who while enjoy a little flirtation every day, when it comes to a show down, if they are men of any decency at all they go back to their wives and conventionality."

"I think you mean, John, that they try to go back to their wives and respectability!"

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Tomorrow—John's Views

PERSONET
Ralph W. Emerson

No, this isn't going to be about the noted essayist who has been gathered to his fathers, but about one of his descendants, Ralph Waldo Emerson, chief of the Liaison Division of the War Risk Bureau and wearer of the most artistic pair of glasses in the whole War Risk building.

The Liaison Division is really the same as a publicity division, but they call it the Liaison because it sounds better that way.

Emerson, before the war, wrote for the Chicago Tribune. His wife also was on the Tribune. It is said that they were brought together by an office "boy" with Cupid-like tendencies.

He was 60 years old, but nevertheless had sentiment enough to join their names with an arrow when ever he posted them on the bulletin board.

One of Emerson's greatest services to the country during the war was his successful management of the advertising features of the Liberty Loan campaigns for which he was decorated by the government.

Of course, anyone could see by looking at Emerson's glasses that he would have unusual ability in advertising. He appreciates so well the value of a striking poster-like effect.

They are beautiful glasses with a graceful little extra digus in gold erected over the nose and helping to point out the classing beauty of the same. And they are attached to Ralph Waldo Emerson by a long wide ribbon of deepest black.

Altogether they are so becoming that they may have quite as much to do in furthering his romance as did the ancient office boy.

Bayer-Tablets of Aspirin

"Bayer Cross" on Genuine Tablets.



For Pain
Neuralgia
Earache
Toothache
Colds
Rheumatism
Lumbago
Neuritis

HEADACHE

Warning!
Don't say Aspirin!
Say "Bayer"! Always insist upon the "Bayer Package" which contains safe and proper directions. Look for "Bayer Cross" on package.

Boxes of 12 tablets—Bottles of 24—Bottles of 100—Also Capsules.
Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocetoneacetate of Salicylic Acid

EAT SOME
EDGEMONT
CRACKERS
WITH EVERY MEAL

Skin Tortured Babies Sleep
Mothers Rest
After Cuticura

ROWLANDS' FURNITURE

"A Brooklyn Eagle writer says that the Little Red Schoolhouse must get rid of the Little Red Teacher."

A little better pay for teachers might solve the problem"—San Francisco Bulletin.

Will Prices Come Down When Packers Unscramble?

"The consumer doesn't care a snap of his fingers about the dissolution of a trust unless it means lower prices or better quality, or both," says the New York Globe, which sees "no reason to believe that the withdrawal of the packers from all lines except meat and dairy products will benefit the consumer an iota." On the other hand, Attorney-General Palmer telegraphs THE LITERARY DIGEST that "The practical benefits to the public will come from opening up the channels of trade in food lines to competing producers and distributors of food freed from the menace of the all-powerful packers organization." The packers themselves, however, are not so confident about the effect on prices. In answer to the "Digest's" interrogation on this point Mr. J. Ogden Armour telegraphs that "it is impossible to forecast the probable effect the dissolution will have upon the high cost of living." Messrs. Louis F. Swift, Thomas E. Wilson, E. A. Cudahy, and Edward Morris practically agree with him in that conclusion.

There is scarcely any other subject that so vitally concerns the public as that covered by the leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST for January 3rd. The "Digest" has secured statements from the highest sources representative of every angle of opinion upon the recent decision of the packers to withdraw from all lines except meat and dairy products.

Other articles of great interest in this number of the "Digest" are:—

The Irish Republic

A Brief, But Impartial, Explanation of Irish Question, Accompanied by Map of Irish Republic
Showing Result of the General Election, December, 1918

Shipping Lenine's Friends to Him
Lloyd George's Plan to Make Two Irelands
Woolen Industry to Hit H. C. L.
Nation-Wide Traction Troubles
Why Milwaukee Insists on Berger
Russian Complaints Against Allied "Help"
Canada's Exchange Worries
Can Turkey be Trusted?
Europe Watching American Labor
Flying Without Wings

Tapping the Earth's Internal Heat
The New Play "Abraham Lincoln"
Seventy Miles an Hour on Water
High Schools and Democracy
Returning Our Dead From France
After-War Hatred of Jews in Germany
A Minister takes a "Job on the Side"
Best of the Current Poetry
Personal Glimpses of Men and Events

Many Half-tone Illustrations and Reproductions of the Best Cartoons

January 3rd Number on Sale To-day---All Newsdealers--10 Cents

'Tis a Mark of Distinction to Be a Reader of The Literary Digest

FUNK & WAGNALLS COMPANY (Publishers of the Famous NEW Standard Dictionary), NEW YORK

AS YOU LIKE IT

MEAT IN EVERY LINE

Dear Roy—I hear you are looking for contributions with meat in every line. I have here a little contribution which I think will pass muster:

Ham and eggs.
Liver and bacon.
Corned beef and cabbage.
Roast pork and apple sauce.
Lamb and mint sauce.
Veal loaf.

Hoping this will help you to earn your bread, yours truly,

W. EATON.

Hamburg, N. Y.

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN

Some folks shake their heads at the fashions
And view short dresses with squeals.
They don't disturb me at my rations
Or keep me from my meals.

I scorn with such problems to grapple;
Things might have been worse by some miles;
If Eve hadn't eaten that apple,
I shudder to think of the styles.

Our friend A. Merritt has written a delightful mystery novel called "The Moon Pool," in which we find a reincarnation of the spirit of "Alice in Wonderland," as follows, which made us sit right up and giggle:

When belles, their lovely graces spread
And tops around them flutter,
I'll be content with Anna Bread
And won't have any but her.

CLASSIFYING LUKE

(From the Edgerton, Wis., Eagle.)
Friday seemed to be a long day, as there were several loads passed this way for Milton Junction, Luke Crandall being among the number.

Every person attending a meeting of a certain Philadelphia Bible class gets a pound of sugar. It would seem as the Rockwell Bible class would be the only one in the country that could afford such an experiment.

Hon. Eli Johnson has come out for the presidency, and so far as we know there is no law preventing a man coming out for the presidency if he wants to.

Another old pest who has disappeared with his friend J. Barleycorn is Mr. Morse. You know him—R. E. Morse.

Broadway is again all lit up—but only with electric lights.

Mrs. R. C. H. says: "Appreciating the query, 'What good is a tea-wagon now?' I would reply: 'Friend husband is to be the recipient of one this year to carry his typewriter on.'"

WHAT THE STARS PREDICT

Meas is unfriendly today.
The stars indicate war and not peace among the countries of the world.

Love affairs with soldiers will be unlucky today but romance has a good augury under this way.

Politics will bring many surprises and defeat will come to a popular and optimistic presidential candidate.

Epidemics are indicated by the stars for the winter months.

Persons whose birthdate this is will find happiness and romance this year.

Children born today will likely be artistic and talented.

VETOES FISH BILL

COLUMBUS—The Billine fish bill was vetoed Wednesday by Governor Cox on the grounds that the bill did not conserve the fish supply.

HEALTH
ADVICE

By William Brady, M. D.

The Annoying Germ Theory

Once upon a time two cows got into a farmer's corn and trampled down all they could not eat. In the morning the farmer found them there and went over and raised hob with his neighbor who owned the cows.

The neighbor was incredulous and went out to see for himself. "Well," he finally admitted, "yes, they're my cows. But I still deny that my cows would do such a thing. It is more plausible to assume that the cows found the fence broken and the corn trampled down and just walked in without meaning any harm." Whereupon the owner of the corn handed the owner of the cows a roll from the fence, and the jury called it justifiable homicide.

Anthrax is a disease which destroys sheep and cattle and sometimes man. It is commonly called malignant pustule. Often sheep infected with the bacillus of anthrax drop dead without noticeable preliminary illness, the sometimes there are staggering and trembling, hurried breathing, fever, bleeding from the nose and eyes and other offices and then death after an hour or two. Wool sorters and handlers of hides sometimes contract anthrax which begins with a lesion resembling a boil or a carbuncle at the point of inoculation. The bacillus of anthrax is found in the hair or wool on the hide and in the pustule. In animals dead of anthrax the bacillus is found occluding the small arteries or capillaries of internal organs.

Yet some people, usually with something to market, speak of the "germ theory" as tho it were not a demonstrable fact. Unfortunately for these plausible folk belief in the bacterial origin of disease just naturally destroys the market for which they wish to sell.

Stroffers at the "germ theory" offer many and weird explanations for certain familiar everyday facts, such as the contagiousness of erysipelas, the risk of "blood poisoning" from undecorated wounds, the occurrence of epidemics, the way in which malaria and yellow fever spread, the mysterious spreading of disease by apparently healthy human carriers and the countless lives saved by the simple expedient of asepsis (that is, germicide environment) in surgical, obstetric and sanitary practice. Obvious facts like these are hard to reason away with the cows in the corn.

But let us not assume that because diseases are caused by germs antiseptics or germicides can be expected to destroy the germs in the tissues of the host—the only place where disease germs do an individual any harm. Altho many concoctions do purport to exert an "anti-



What's become of all the standard garage girls we used to see? Why don't someone tumble 'em? The fact that if a couple is married up a little you can't tell 'em so far?

'LEAGUE' HAVING HARD TIME

Let Has Hard Sledding Locating in Washington

WASHINGTON. — No dogs at this sign hangs out the White House. If it didn't President Wilson might find himself swamped with andie gits. It seems best every one wants to give his best dog to the President.

The latest proffer of a canine gift was that of two Chinese "chow pups" which were offered to the President by P. T. Barnum, grandson of the famous showman.

When the President was abroad he was presented with a dog which was named "League of Nations," because its donor admired the work the President had done for the League of Nations.

The President gave the dog to the Secretary of the League of Nations, Mr. Clegg, who would stand for the European canine. Secretary Tumulty gave "League of Nations" to a friend. The friend's cat objected to "League of Nations," and so the European dog was presented to Mrs. William B. Boah, wife of the Senator from Idaho.

Senator Borah is the original enemy of the League of Nations, but he is a lover of animals, and "League of Nations" is his pet, despite its name.

COULDN'T WRITE—BARRIED NEW YORK. — Jose Hader, Syrian, speaks Spanish and French, in addition to his mother tongue, but because he could not write any language, immigration officials barred him.

OLD AND NEW

Last year you promised yourself you would never be caught short of funds again.

You said you would put aside part of every pay check and have a real live, growing savings account.

Then you fell down.

But last year is gone; now what about next year?

You didn't quit your job at your first failure, did you? Nor your second, nor your dozenth?

Brush up that resolution; put some pep into it; make it a go this time.

Start today, no matter if it be for only one dollar—but have a savings account at The Allen County Savings & Loan Company where you will get five per cent interest.

Savings Building, Corner Market & Elizabeth Streets.

CLOTHES HIGHER NEXT SPRING, RETAILERS SAY

CHICAGO. — Clothing is going higher, says Charles E. Wray, secretary of the National Association of Retail Clothiers.

"Suits that used to sell before the war for \$25 now bring \$50 and the price next Spring will be \$60," said he.

"Aggressiveness of union, and dumping of immigration are partly responsible. Some piece workers in Chicago garment factories are making as high as \$135 a week, and the workers make over \$50 a week in an advance of 175 per cent since 1914."


'EAT SOME' EDGEMONT CRACKERS With Every Meal

The DEISEL Co.

MILLINERY CLEARANCE

Every winter hat must go--they have been repriced with this uppermost in mind--the savings are large---

1.00, 1.95, 2.95, 3.95 to 5.00



"ONE BORN EVERY MINUTE"

and on this seeming fact is built the fortunes of the unscrupulous "patent" medicine venders who infect our land. Back of every unpleasant symptom there is a cause and until you find and eradicate the cause, disease will invariably creep upon you and you may make the rounds of all the "internal" or "rub-on" patent dopes on the market and cause still exists.

Men pass through this life and reach the brink of the grave carrying the same old aches and pains with them and using the same old dopes as their forefathers did before them.

WHY? Because they don't think nor seek to find the cause.

WAKE UP!

Dr. Cannon
SPECIALIST

Harper Block, S. W. Corner Main and North Streets, Lima, Ohio.
Hours: 9-12 A. M.; 1-4 & 6-8 P. M.

WATCH THIS BOTTLE FOR LOW PRICES ON DRUG STORE GOODS

SATURDAY SPECIALS

50c Pepsodent Tooth Paste	39c
25c Woodbury's Facial Soap	20c
25c Mavisto	21c
\$1.00 Panto Hair Tonic	70c
\$1.10 Miles Nerveine	80c
60c Multi-Flk. Coconut Oil	43c
25c Bayer Aspirin Tablets	15c
10c Kier's Hard Water Soap	.8c
\$1.25 Plinkham's Veg. Comp.	95c
90c Miller Antiseptic Oil	39c
25c Parke Davis Germicidal Soap	19c
25c Mentholatum	21c
25c Natures Remedy Tablets	19c
\$1.00 Hewitts Kidney Pills	79c
60c Palmolive Van Cream	39c
60c Palmolive Cold Cream	39c
35c Satin Skin Face Powder	29c
35c Seureco Tooth Paste	27c
25c Dewitt's Cold Tablets	19c
25c Freezone	27c

Hunter's Drug Stores

40 PUBLIC SQUARE MAIN AND WAYNE

FOOD FACTS

THE BEST FOODS BELONG ON THE WORKER'S TABLE!

PAY CASH! PAY LESS!

Our prices are after your order. Our method of "carry it home for less money" is causing the local housewives to come back to the old-fashioned sensible market-basket idea.

Sweet Cider gal. 75c

10 lbs. Pure Pennsylvania Buckwheat Flour	75c
3 lbs. B. O. Coffee	\$1.00
2 cans Corn 25c; doz.	\$1.40
2-15c cans Baked Beans	25c
10 lbs. Navy Beans	90c
Creamery Butter, lb.	70c
Pure Lard, lb.	25c
Old Re. Coffee, lb.	47c
Tea, per lb.	45c
Canned Milk	7 1/2-15c
3 pkgs. Chumline	25c
Nut Butter	30c-32c
3 pkgs. Scrap Tobacco	25c
Lennox Soap	.6c
Cranberries, quart	15c
2 large loaves Bread	25c
New Cornmeal, white or yellow, lb.	.5c
1 lb P. W. Crackers	.16c
Four Tie Brooms	.60c
1 Gal. Pine Apple	\$1.00

FLCUR

Barrel Choice Family	\$10.80
24 1/2 lbs. Silver Star	\$1.53
24 1/2 lbs. Pride of Lima	\$1.55
24 1/2 lbs. Gold Medal	\$1.80
24 1/2 lbs. Lantanas Best	\$1.80
24 1/2 lbs. Choice Family	\$1.35

MEATS

HOME KILLED

Beef Liver, lb.	10c
Weiners or Bologna, lb.	22c
Pig Liver, lb.	6c
Cala Hams, fresh or smoked, lb.	20c
Regular Hams, whole or half, lb.	28c
Best Cuts of Steak	28c
Fresh Sausage, home made, lb.	28c
Smoked Sausage, lb.	25c
Soft Rib Boil, lb.	12c
Beef Roasts (your choice)	18c
Pork Chops, lb.	28c
Sliced Bacon, lb.	28c-40c-45c
Spare Ribs, lb.	25c
Oysters, pint 30c; quart	60c



Leon Loewenstein

"The Store of Standard Values"

CLOTHIER, FURNISHER, HATTER

28-30 PUBLIC SQUARE, LIMA, OHIO



Suits and Overcoats

The models are staple, form-fitting and semi-form-fitting. Half and full belts, waist seam or box backs.

Suit fabrics are serge, worsteds, cassimeres, unfinished worsteds.

Overcoat fabrics are Kerseys, Meltons, Vicunas, Tweeds, and Fancy Mixtures in great variety.

Buying now means a future

Suits and O'coats

Reductions! Reductions!

Prices have been lowered to such an extent that it seems inconsistent but our sole purpose is to dispose of these fine, hand tailored all wool garments in the Loewenstein Store for we are selling out to quit business.

Every suit and overcoat in the Loewenstein Stock is now reduced to an extremely low price. Each and every garment has been marked for instant and complete disposal. Even further reductions that were first arranged have been made until now the selling event surpasses all previous efforts. Such a complete abandonment of prices seems ridiculous, a lavish reckless disregard of the fine fabric and tailoring of these garments.

Values Unsurpassed in Our Entire Furnishing Stock

Men's red, white and blue handkerchiefs—now	6c
Men's full size heavy blue chambray shirts, \$1.50 value now	\$1.17
Men's \$3.00 heavy sweaters now	\$1.87
Men's dress shirts, one big lot valued to \$2.25, now	87c
Arrow brand Collars, all styles, now being sold at	21c
Men's heavy fleece lined or ribbed unions	\$1.97

Car Fare Refunded

During the final selling days of this mammoth Closing Out Sale Loewenstein's will refund the car-fare within a radius of 50 miles of Lima to those purchasing \$35 or over. Come to Lima at our Expense and see how the former prices have been crushed again. It is the greatest saving event of the Century.

Free Trip to Lima

LOEWENSTEIN'S
28-30 PUBLIC SQUARE, LIMA, O.

The Loewenstein Store

Has authorized The D. Hoppe & Orr Co., to sell the entire stock at any price regardless of loss, cost or value. As the D. Hoppe and Orr Company are under contract to completely close out this stock in a limited time, you will witness the greatest reductions ever made on such high grade clothing and furnishings. Come see and Save.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

STUMPP

DEEP ROOTED, HERE TO STAY

STORE NO. 1 - 209 SOUTH UNION ST.
STORE NO. 2 - COR. BRICE & METCALF

Woman and Her Work

The New Year never received a more brilliant and noisy reception than this year. 1931 was ushered in with many social festivities. There were the usual club affairs, as well as innumerable home "watch parties."

More than 100 couples attended the dinner dance at the Elk's Home. The club was resplendent with trailing smilax, holly and other holiday suggestions while baskets of roses graced the tables. Detroit cabaret artists furnished entertainment during the dinner hour and following dancing was enjoyed. The Fischer orchestra of Kalamazoo, and the local Rappers were secured to furnish music for the occasion. Favors were the usual novelty caps and whistles. The Lima club was gay again with the holiday decorations on Wednesday evening when the usual dance was featured. Morris S. Silver company of Chicago, furnished the cabaret artists and augmented orchestra. Dancing was taken up at 9 o'clock and continued until 11:30 o'clock when a buffet luncheon was served. Dancing was again resumed and continued until the early morning.

There was the New Year's celebration at the Norval Hotel with more than 75 couples in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Shockey of 415 south Metcalf street, entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner at their home on New Year's eve. Roses were used as the centerpiece of the table and place cards were in keeping with the season. Following the repast games and music were enjoyed. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Carl Means, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ewing and the host and hostess.

The Little Light Bears society of Trinity church will meet Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. H. O. Mack of 129 north McDonnell street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Scanlon of north Pierce street are home from Cleveland where they have been spending the last week with Mr. Scanlon's mother.

FASHIONABLE NANCY



Nancy is the first to reach the "sports clothes" stage at gay Palm Beach. She wears upon a sunny day a flannel suit of light gray. The softest fabric you can tell. Though plain, the suit fits very well.

Miss Ruth Broderick, who has been visiting Miss Francis Flowers, of west high street, returned to her home in Akron, Friday.

Miss Helen Hoke of west Haller street, has gone to Deshler to spend the week-end with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Block of 123 south Collett street, are entertaining as their guests Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pederman and son, Leland, of Springfield, Ill.

Walter Daley of Detroit, is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Mary Daley, of north Main street. During the coming week Mr. Daley accompanied by Miss Margaret Daley and Mrs. Josephine Quinn, will leave for Denison, Texas, to spend several months with relatives.

SOCIETY AND THE CLUBS

BY MARGARET SIMPSON

Friday Evening
Stroller dance, Wayfarer club. Good Cheer Class of the Market Street Presbyterian church. Miss Clara Clizbe, afternoon. Alumni dance, St. Rose auditorium, 9 o'clock.

Saturday
Daughters of the American Revolution. Mrs. W. L. Mackenzie, afternoon. Ladies Circle of the U. C. T., afternoon. Little Light Bearer's of Trinity church, Mrs. H. O. Mack, afternoon.

Miss Aleene Hoover of west Market street charmingly entertained with an elaborate bridge tea at her home on Wednesday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Emil Levy, of Philadelphia and Mrs. Vernon Fisher of Fostoria. The rooms of the massive Hoover home were made attractive with baskets of seasonal flowers and holiday suggestions. At 5 o'clock when a delicious tea was served, Miss Mary Louise Edwards, daintily clad in crisp orange frock and carrying a flower basket presented each guest with a beautiful corsage of pink roses and sweet peas. Cleverly concealed in the dainty corsages were beveled edged cards bearing the initials "A. R. H. to V. W. K." The announcement of the engagement of Miss Aleene Hoover, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hoover, to Val W. Kohl, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kohl, of Wapakoneta, came as a surprise to the guests.

Miss Hoover is a popular member of the Lima social life, who has a host of friends here. Mr. Kohl is also well known in this city, being associated in business with Mr. Hoover, father of the bride-elect.

Miss Hoover, Mary Louise Edwards, Mrs. L. S. Crawford, of Connersville, Ind., Mrs. E. H. Hawisher, Mrs. T. J. Edwards and Miss Eleanor Hawisher assisted the hostess throughout the afternoon.

Guests were Miss Mildred Jones, Miss Gertrude Spangler, Misses Ruth and Carl Parvulter, Miss Helen King, Miss Marguerite Orchard, Miss Mabel May, Miss Marie Kohl, Miss Helen Hay and Miss Florence Koller of Wapakoneta, Misses Charlotte and Emma Seiber, Miss Eleanor Johnson, Miss Mabel Bowsher, Miss Geraldine English, Miss Esther Davis, Miss Grace May, Miss Esther Roberts, Miss Lela Neff, Miss Kathryn Meyer, Miss Helen Klinger, Miss Martha Talbott, Miss Catherine Orchard, Miss Frieda Fleming, Miss Kathleen Neff, Miss Marie Sweeney, Miss Lura Bateson, Miss Margaret Bowsher, Mrs. Edward Snyder, of Bellefontaine, Mrs. Paul Broese, Mrs. Ruth Kerr Hyler, Mrs. Carl Miller, Mrs. Harry Workman, Mrs. Austin Potter, Mrs. Lloyd LeFevre, Mrs. Gus Boop, Mrs. Brice Hiesong, of Detroit, Miss Clarence Kilgore of Columbus, Mrs. Gerald Fess, Mrs. Harold Fisher, Mrs. O. J. Neuman, Mrs. S. F. Dennison, Mrs. Harvey Basinger, Mrs. Francis O'Connor, Mrs. Carl Renz, Mrs. Carl Anb, of Wapakoneta, Mrs. Lyle Parmenter, Mrs. Miller Landick, Mrs. Guy Corpe, Mrs. Harry Goldsberry, Mrs. Tilman Bowersock, Mrs. Chester Ridgeway, Mrs. Frank Seiler, Mrs. Mark Koller, Mrs. T. R. Schoonover, Mrs. Gene Bokline, Mrs. Ross Peppie, Mrs. Carl Jensen and Mrs. Ray Taylor.

Reginald Crissinger of the Great Lakes Naval Training school, who has been spending the holidays with his parents on Grand avenue, has returned to the station.

Mrs. Viella Mae Grieder, of Benavard, and Alva M. Stewart, of Rockport, were united in marriage Wednesday, December 31st at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. I. N. Kall, of 133 north Metcalf street. The couple will make their home in Monroe township.

Nerv-Worth is Still Selling At One Dollar

Makers Contribute Their Share Towards Keeping Down the High Cost of Living

"Your Dollar Back" Still Goes in Nerv-Worth Advertisements.

Some time ago, compelled by enormously increased costs in production, advertising and distribution, we notified druggists that it would be necessary for us to secure greater returns from the sale of Nerv-Worth. Two methods offered themselves: a higher price to druggists or a reduction in the size of our bottle. The latter course involved delays incident to a change in bottles, cases, etc., so we took the shorter way and advanced the price to druggists. Dealers who bought at the advance put up the retail price; most of the others continued the sale at \$1.00 out of older stocks.

When we made the decision first steps were taken to reduce the size of Nerv-Worth bottles, in the hope that thereby we could get back to the old popular dollar price. Those steps have now progressed to the point where the necessary size-changes are in sight.

But a chance offers now to do something toward keeping down the high cost of living for the immediate present, at least, and effective Jan. 1, 1931, we have enabled even the druggists who bought Nerv-Worth at the advance to sell the preparation at once at one dollar instead of waiting for the size-changes to be made.

In our plans to reduce the bottle contents, we are not seeking to cover all the loss entailed by vastly higher costs. To continue giving the public a big dollar Nerv-Worth was making a costly sacrifice. Our existing Nerv-Worth bottle contains 16 ounces and is one of the largest of its class. The new one will not be disappointingly smaller. Nevertheless, until it comes Nerv-Worth users will get the biggest medicine bargain of the day by buying 16 oz. bottles of Nerv-Worth at a dollar. And so again we say:

Your Dollar Back
IF NERV-WORTH DOES NOT BENEFIT YOUR HEALTH
NERV-WORTH CO.,
Tomberville, Ohio.

Martin Siford of Detroit, is the guest of his father, John S. Siford, of south Main street.

Miss Marie Brown of Versailles, is the guest of Miss Alice Hensler of State street.

The members of the Delta Phi Kappa society, delightfully entertained with a progressive dinner and dance. The soup course was served at the J. Lee Laughlin home on west Market street, with Miss Sara Laughlin as hostess; the dinner course was served at the home of Miss Josephine Further with Miss Dorothy Kable as assistant. Miss Dorothy Waele served the salad course and Miss Anna Bradley had the desert course.

Following the dinner the guests repaired to the home of Miss Janet White, where dancing was enjoyed. The Noleknockers orchestra furnished the music for the long program of dances. Guests were wide awake to welcome the new year.

Those enjoying the delightful affair included Misses Sara Laughlin, Esther Klette, Anna Bradley, Catherine Galvin, Dorothy Kable, Dorothy Hunter, Dorothy Wheeler, Marian Cable, Josephine Purcher, Hope Hollister, Rosalie Slagle, Janet White, Messrs Louis Edwards, Frank Campbell, William Wenner, Frank Holmes, Robert Breckenridge, Walton Wyre, James Enock, Richard Gensel, Roland Slagle, William Laughlin, Edward Bolger and Edward Weadock. Miss Catherine Weadock acted as chaperone.

The members of the Epsilon Fraternity entertained with a dinner at the Elks Home. The table which was laid in the private dining rooms was artistically arranged with the color scheme of maroon and gold. The centerpiece was of red roses and gold candles tied with maroon tulle bunched during the dinner. Dainty corsage bouquets tied with the maroon and gold tulle marked the places of the young women.

Covers were laid for Misses Marian Cable, Sara Laughlin, Dorothy Kable, Pauline Wenner, Anna Bradley, Dorothy Hunter, Mildred Wyre, of Columbus Grove, Catherine Galvin, Mary Roberts, Edward Weadock, Harry Wright, Walton Wyre, Robert Breckenridge, William Wenner, Frank Holmes, Richard Gensel, Joe Kirk Louis Edwards and John Dawson.

William Wenner informally entertained with dancing at his home following the dinner for the pleasure of his cousin, Miss Pauline Wenner, who is home from Birmingham School for Girls. At a late hour, Mrs. Fred Gooding, sister of the host, served a dainty luncheon.

Mrs. Emmett Williams of 216 1-2 east Market street, charmingly entertained with a dinner at her home New Year's Day for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boggs, whose marriage took place Thursday morning. The occasion being also Mrs. Williams' birthday anniversary. The color scheme of blue and gold was effectively carried out with the centerpiece of rose buds. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boggs, Harvey S. Stahl of Grove Hill, Virgil Scott and the hostess.

Mrs. Boggs was formerly Miss Anna Melching. The wedding ceremony was solemnized at the home of the officiating pastor, Rev. O. E. Knepp at 10:30 o'clock on New Year's day.

Mrs. Harry Workman of west Market street entertained informally at her home on New Year's eve. Miss Dorothy Allen and Jessie Detrick are spending the week-end in Ft. Wayne with Miss Allen's uncle H. R. Booth.

Miss Lillie Brewer of west Spring street, was hostess to the members of the Vesta Circle at her home on Wednesday evening. Those enjoying an evening of needle work were: Misses May Wolfe, Dessie Williams, Edna Koller, May Bowdle, Mary Clark, Irma Fisher and the hostess.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Miss Ruth Palmer, of west North street, Tuesday evening, January 6.

Mrs. Clarence Reel of Bellefontaine avenue entertained the members of the Lotus Social club at her home on Wednesday afternoon. Music and cards were enjoyed, after which the hostess assisted by her sister Mrs. O. W. Harman, served a dainty luncheon. At the conclusion of the game, Mrs. Harry Walborn, Mrs. N. F. Hall and Mrs. Clifford Harris were successful. Guests of the club were: Mrs. C. E. Durbin, and Mrs. Harman.

The next meeting of the club will be held with Mrs. N. F. Hall, of west Wayne street.

Miss Betty Moulton and Harry Wright of west Market street, are guests at a houseparty in Conneaut, where they are being entertained at the home of Miss Alice and Hali Kurtz. Mr. Kurtz and Mr. Wright are both students at Culver.

The joint meeting of the Lotus, Arbutus and Women's Club for Monday afternoon will be held with Mrs. Marshall Thompson of west Market street. Instead of the A. L. White home as was formerly planned.

The New Years Strollers dance will be featured Friday evening at the Wayfarer's club. This is to be an unusual affair. After the program of dancing the guests will be escorted to the Francada where luncheon and cabaret entertainers will be enjoyed. The Regan's orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

Mr. Geis' brother, Arthur Geis, and his wife, Mrs. Geis, and their son, and daughter, were entertained at their home on New Year's eve for the pleasure of Mr. Geis' brother, Arthur Geis, and two friends, Cecil Gunn and Harry Hillard, of Toledo. Dancing and cards furnished the entertainment of the evening and in clever contests Miss Cora Krein, Charles Cowles and James Hoffman were successful. At a late hour a delicious luncheon was served.

The rooms of the Geis home were made attractive with holiday suggestions.

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"THE PALISER CASE"

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BY EDGAR SALTUS

Every Evening in The News

HARRIS, wrinkled as a sweetbread and thin as an umbrella, blinked at Cassy. "Mr. Lennox is on, mem."

"Then go and fetch him." Past the servant, Cassy forced her way through the vestibule, into the sitting-room, where the usual gloom abided, but where, unusually were a smell of camphor, two overcoats, two trunks and a bag.

Cassy, putting down the bundle, exclaimed at them. "He is not leaving town!"

"Yes, mem, tomorrow morning, for Minola." He spoke grudgingly, looking as he spoke like a little old mule at bay.

Cassy, noticing that, said: "See here, I don't mean to hully you, but it is most important that I should see Mr. Lennox—important for him, do you hear?"

"I hear you, mem, but I don't know where he is."

"Then find out. There must be a telephone."

Harris scratched his head but otherwise he did nothing.

"Come!" Cassy told him. "Hurry!" Harris shifted. "I don't know as how he'd like it. He's been that upset these last few days. I—"

He hesitated. Visibly an idea had visited him with which he was grappling. "You're not from Miss Austen, now, are you?"

Cassy caught at it. To confirm it would be fanciful. To deny it would be extravagant. Choosing an in-between for the benefit of this servant whom she knew to be English, she produced it.

"I am the Viscountess of Casanova."

Harris wiped his mouth. A viscountess who had come only the other day with a bundle, and now who forced her way in with another bundle, did not coincide with such knowledge as he had of the nobility. But she was certainly overbearing enough to be anybody.

He turned. "Very good, your ladyship, I'll telephone."

Don't ladyship me, Cassy was about to reply, but judging that impolitic, she sat down.

On the train in she had debated whether she would go first to Harris or to Lennox and in either case what afterward she should do. She had a few dollars which her father would need. The thought of these assets reminded her that in changing her clothes she had omitted to change back into her own stockings. Well, when she changed again she would return the pair which she had on and, as she determined on that, she saw Paliser's face as she had seen it when she threw the vase. She had behaved like a fish-wife. But though she regretted the violence, she regretted even more deeply the vase. The destruction of art is so despicable! Hunt! For morn, she evoked the Grantly masque, ade.

The entire lack of art in that seemed to her incongruous with the surface Paliser whom she had known. But had she even known the surface which itself was a mask? Yet behind the mask was an intelligence which at least was not ordinary, yet which, none the less, had descended to that! She could not understand it. She could not understand, what some one later explained to her, that a high order of intellect does not of itself prevent a man from soiling it and, with it, himself and his hands. The explanation came later, when other matters were occupying her and when Paliser, headlined in the papers, was dead.

Meanwhile the train had landed her in the Grand Central and she decided to go to Lennox first.

Now as she sat in his sitting-room where, for all she knew, she might have to sit for hours, it comforted her to think that she had decided. If she had put it off until the morning, Lennox would, by then, have gone to the aviation-field, where he might be killed before she could patch things up. At thought of that she wondered whether he might not stay out undiscoverably all night and send for his things to be fetched to the station.

But in that case, Cassy promptly reflected, I'll go to her, pull her out of bed, drag her there—and no thanks either. I didn't do it for you, I did it for him. He's too good for you.

On the mantel, a clock struck, while thinly, through a lateral entrance, Harris emerged.

"The hall-porter at Mr. Lennox's club says he's just gone out with Mr. Jones, ma'am."

"Mr. Jones? What Mr. Jones? The novelist?"

"I'm thinking so, ma'am. A very haffable gentleman."

"Try to get him. Ask if Mr. Lennox is there. Or, no, I'll do the talking."

Then presently she was doing it, collaborating rather in the dialogue that ensued.

"Mr. Jones?"

Cassy, swallowing it, resumed: "Mr. Jones, forgive a stranger for intruding."

"Beautiful voice, forgive me. Triple brute that I am, I thought it was my aunt."

"Then let me introduce myself. This is Miss Cara."

"Casta diva! You do me infinite honour!"

"Mr. Jones, I must see Mr. Lennox. It is a matter of life and death."

"Lennox is engaged with death now."

"What?"

"I'm preparing for the great adventure. At this moment he is making his will. Miss Cara?"

"X?"

"Lennox takes even serious matters gravely."

"But is he with you?"

"In my work-shop and at your service as I am."

"You will let me come there?"

"Enthusiastically and yet with all humility for I have no red carpet run down the stairs."

"Then hold on to him, please."

Out! sighed Cassy, as she hung it up. Another man who might be Mrs. Lennox's husband! She took the telephone-book, found and memorized the address and turned to Harris.

"Thank you very much. Will you mind giving me that package?"

"Beg pardon, ma'am," the little man said, as he opened the door for her. "There's nothing more amiss, is there?"

Cassy covered him with her lovely eyes. "When Mr. Lennox comes back here, he may tell you to unpack."

"Then may God bless your ladyship."

Cassy went on.

At Jones' shop, a floor in a reconstructed private house, a man who had the air of performing a feat, showed her into a room that was summarily, but not spartanly, furnished. On one side was a bookcase supported by caryatides. Above, hung a stretch of silk on which was a flight of dragons. Above the silk was an ivory mask. Fronting the bookcase was the biggest table that Cassy had ever seen.

Jones, vacating the table, advanced to greet her. Perched on his shoulder, was a cat that peered at her. It had long hair, the colour of smoke; a bushy tail; the eyes of an angel and a ferocious moustache.

Although Cassy had other matters in hand, she exclaimed at it. "What a duck!"

Jones, who saw, and at once, that she had no come to ask the time of day, exclaimed also: "Yes, but ducky is as ducky does. That cat talks in her sleep."

But now Lennox, advancing too, had taken her hand.

Withdrawing it, she put the bundle on the table, on which were papers, and, noticeably, a dagger, brilliant, wicked, thin as a shadow. On the blade was a promise—Pene-trabo.

She looked up Jones and the cat had gone. She looked at Lennox. "I don't know where to begin."

Lennox could not tell her. On learning that she wanted to see him, he had supposed it was about her father and he had said as much to Jones. But in greeting her, the novelist knew from her vibrations that whatever her object might be, at least it was not ordinary. Then, taking the cat, he had gone.

Now, though, Cassy was at it. "The day you loaned me a hundred, you remember? As I went out I had the money in my hand. In the hall was Miss Austen. You had just shown me her picture. I recognised her at once. With her was a woman, thin-faced, thin-lipped, thin-minded. She saw me, saw the money, gave me a look. I did not forget it. But it is only today that I learned what it meant. It meant that I am no better than I ought to be—or you either."

Lennox had one hand on the table. He raised the other. "Who told you this?"

"Paliser. He said it was the reason your engagement was broken."

In the palm of the upraised hand, the fingers moved forward and back, regularly, methodically, mechanically. Lennox was unaware of it. He was unaware of anything except the monstrous perversity of the tale.

"I came directly from him to your rooms. Your man said you were going away. Thank goodness, I am not too late."

Cassy had seated herself, but now, reaching for the bundle, she stood up. Across the street, in the house opposite, a boy was lowering a shade. It seemed to Cassy that she had raised one. But there are explanations that explain nothing. To Lennox there was a shade suspended before Margaret, who had judged him unheard. It obscured her. He could not see her at all.

Over the way, the boy lowered a second shade and Cassy, as though prompted by it, raised another. "Paliser said you admitted it."

From the obscurely Lennox turned, but it was still about him. "Admitted what?"

Cassy reddened. "What I told you."

With a movement of the head that a bull has when he is going for you, Lennox bent his own. The movement, which was involuntary, was momentary. The shade had lifted. He saw Margaret, but behind her he saw others holding her back, telling her he was not fit to be spoken to. He was going for them. Meanwhile he had forgotten Cassy. He looked up, saw her, remembered the part attributed to her in the story and struck the table.

"It is damnable that such a thing should be said of you."

"Oh," Cassy put in. "It was not at all on my account that I told you. She stopped short. The promised horsewhipping occurred to her."

Lennox took up the knife, gave it a turn, shoved it away. It was very much as though he had twisted it in somebody's gizzards. The idea had come to him that Paliser had concocted the admission. But, as he was unable to conceive what his object could be, he dismissed it. None the less, for what the man had said he deserved to be booted down the club steps.

Cassy had stopped short. The story behind the story did not concern Lennox, yet as he might wonder how Paliser had ventured with her on such a subject she began it at it again.

"We were married recently, or anyway I thought so. Today I discovered that the ceremony was bogus. Then I told him a thing or two and he told me that."

Lennox stared. "Angry" already, angry ever since the rupture, angry with that intensity of anger which only those who love—or who think they do—and who are thwarted in it ever know, and all the angrier because he had no one and could have no one to vent it on, until he got to the front and got at the Huns, at last, he told her that.

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"I must run," said Cassy. "But you can tell Miss Austen, can't you?"

Lennox, controlling himself, motioned. "Would you mind repeating this to Jones?"

Cassy eyebrow's arched themselves. "It was hard enough to tell you. Were it not for your engagement, I wouldn't have said anything. When dreadful things happen to a girl, people always think that she must be dreadful herself. Isn't that nice of them? I—"

"See here," Lennox interrupted, "you can't leave it like this. Something has got to be done. I can give Paliser a hiding and I will. But that isn't enough. I don't know whether a criminal action will lie, but I do know that you can get damages and heavy ones."

Cassy's lovely eyes searched the room. "Who was that speaking? It wasn't you, was it?"

Lennox, recognizing the rebuke, acknowledged it. "Forgive me. I forgot whom I was addressing. Jones will be less stupid. Let us have him in."

But when Jones, immediately requisitioned, appeared, Cassy again putting down her bundle, protested. "Mr. Lennox regards me as an Ariadne and expects me to act like a young lady in a department store. Either role is too up-stage."

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Jones, taken with her mobile mouth, her lovely eyes, the oval of her handsome face, said lightly: "It seems to me that you might assume any part."

Lennox struck out. "Paliser hoodwinked her with a fake marriage."

the sudden vision Lennox dissipated. "Stuff and nonsense! Haven't you anything else to say?"

Amiably Jones turned to him. "I can say that no one is wise on an empty stomach." He turned to Cassy. "The Splendor is not far. Will you dine with us, Mrs. Paliser?"

Violently Lennox repeated it: "Mrs. Paliser! Miss Cara is no more Mrs. Paliser than you are."

"To err is highly literary," Jones heard that it is even human."

Cassy reached again for the bundle. "It is only natural. If I had been told in advance I could not have believed it. I could not have believed that mock marriages occur anywhere except in cheap fiction. But we live and unlearn. Now I must run."

Lennox took her hand. "I owe you a debt. Count on me."

He spoke gravely and the gravity of it, the force that he exhaled,

comforted Cassy's bruised little heart and the comfort, the first that she had had, made her lip twitch. None of that, though! Reacting she rallied and smiled.

"Good-bye—and good luck!"

Jones said to the door, followed her out, followed her down to the street, where for a moment he detained her.

"Just a word, if you don't mind. You have been abominably treated and you seek no revenge. That is very fine. You have been abominably treated and you bear no malice. That is superior. You have been abominably treated and you accept it with a smile. That is alchemy. It is only a noble nature that can extract the beautiful from the base. Where do you live?"

At the change of key Cassy laughed but she told him. "Good-bye," she added. "My love to your cat."

She passed on into the sunset.

The bundle seemed heavy now, her heart was lighter. She had it off, Lennox knew, presently young woman would be informed and though she could not be expected to dance at the wedding, yet, after all—

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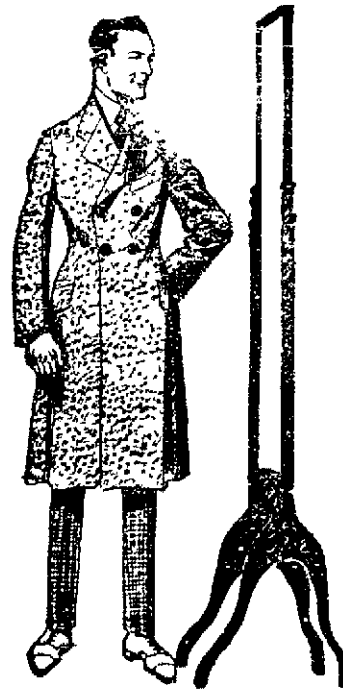
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ORPHEUM Every act a hit—that's the record established New Year's Day, before capacity audiences, by the six-act big-time vaudeville bill for the last half of this week and Sunday at the Orpheum. This program is the third and last of the extraordinary holiday offerings. It is better than either bill for the first half of this week, or the one which began Christmas Day. The headliners are the beautiful little Crysanthemum Maids, the Misses Dong Fong Gue and Mei Fui San, the native Chinese artists in a magnificent novelty of the Orient. Other acts are Kenny, Mason

& Scholl, in "The Impossible Upon the Roller Skates"; Briere & King, in "The Little Girl from Boston and the Boy from New Orleans," in exclusive songs and savings; The Boldens, a riot of blackface darktown comedies; Frick and Adaire, a man and a maid, in things delightful, sung, danced and said; Helene Miller, "The Nymphomane Girl."

THE SCREEN

RIALTO — "Checkers," the spectacular picture made by William Fox, which opened at the Rialto theater yesterday is even better as a picture than it was as a stage play. Much of the action occurs outdoors, and Director Richard Stanton took full advantage of the situation to make his exterior scenes not only elaborate, but perfect in detail.

The story tells of a Southern beauty who falls in love with Checkers, the race owl. He grooms a horse owned by the girl for a rich stake, and in getting the horse to the race track encounters tremendous difficulties. His chase leads from the South to New York and through Chinatown. At the last minute, just before the race is to start, the jockey is maliciously blinded, and the young girl rides the horse to victory. It is one of the best and most stirring pictures in every respect seen here in some time. The all-star cast headed by Thomas J. Carrigan and Jean Acker give an evenly balanced performance.

THE REGENT — "Some folks get a good deal of excitement from picking up a poker hand just to see what they have drawn, but for me, the real pleasure in life is in trying out new jumping stunts just to see what will happen to me," so answered the agile comedian when questioned with regard to some of the reckless stunts he "pulls" in "When The Clouds Roll By," this newest photoplay. This picture was released for public showing on Dec. 29th and opened in Lima simultaneously with exhibitions in New York, Boston, St. Louis, Cleveland, San Francisco and other principal distributing centers. Lima fans are indeed fortunate in being able to see at the Regent theater the newest and best in photoplays at a time when these photoplays are at the height of their city runs.

"Doug" Fairbanks can be seen only today and Saturday at the Regent. It will positively not be brought back for a second showing.

"Jinx" Mabel Normand's new Goldwyn picture is a clean comedy of circus life according to the press agent of the Regent. It will be the feature attraction for three days commencing Sunday. It is a satisfying production from the parental standpoint, for it is thoroughly clean and bright, and the funny situations are devoid of any attempt at vulgarity masking as comedy.

Charlie Chaplin is scheduled for early appearance in "A Day's Pleasure," his fourth million dollar comedy.

LYRIC — One of the most wonderful and astounding tests of mind reading and mental telepathy are being done daily by the Great Hindoo Crystal Gazer and Seer, Marjah. Thousands of people of Lima have seen this beautifully staged scenic production and heard this wonderful man. Any person wishing to ask a question relative to business investments, love affairs, past or future matters, are welcome to write their questions at home and submit them in a sealed envelope and they will be answered in the regular performance. A special matinee will be given for women, and the only man present will be Marjah. Lady assistants will pick up the questions, the theatre will open at 10 a. m. and the show will start with film and at 10:30 promptly. Marjah will start to answer personal questions that ladies would not care to ask in a mixed audience. No lady under sixteen will be admitted as some questions asked may embarrass the younger folks. Marjah appears at the Lyric Theatre daily at 2:30 p. m. and 9:30 p. m. together with their usual high class photoplays.

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"I jump out of bed every morning now feeling fine and ready for a hard day's work, and my work does not tire me down like it once did," says Mr. Charlie Shaffer, the well-known blacksmith of Clover Street, 7th Ward, Zanesville, Ohio.

"I am 38 years old and thought I was worn out and would never feel right again. My kidneys bothered me day and night, liver was sluggish, my food did me no good, but lay in my stomach and soured, forming gas that swelled me up. My bowels were constipated and I had to take some medicine for them nearly every night; dizzy spells hit me sometimes and I would have to quit whatever I was doing. I got nervous and could not sleep, but would roll from one side of the bed to the other. I was growing weak all the time, and was discouraged.

"But things are different now since I have been taking Drecto; all my troubles are very much improved. I feel younger and stronger; even my friends notice the change in my condition, and ask what I have been doing, and I always explain about this great medicine Drecto, for it has done me wonders of good, and I am glad of a chance to publicly praise it."

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THE BIG
3 O'CLOCK MATINEE SATURDAY

COMING SUNDAY
FOR 3 BIG DAYS
MABEL NORMAND
IN
"J-I-N-X"

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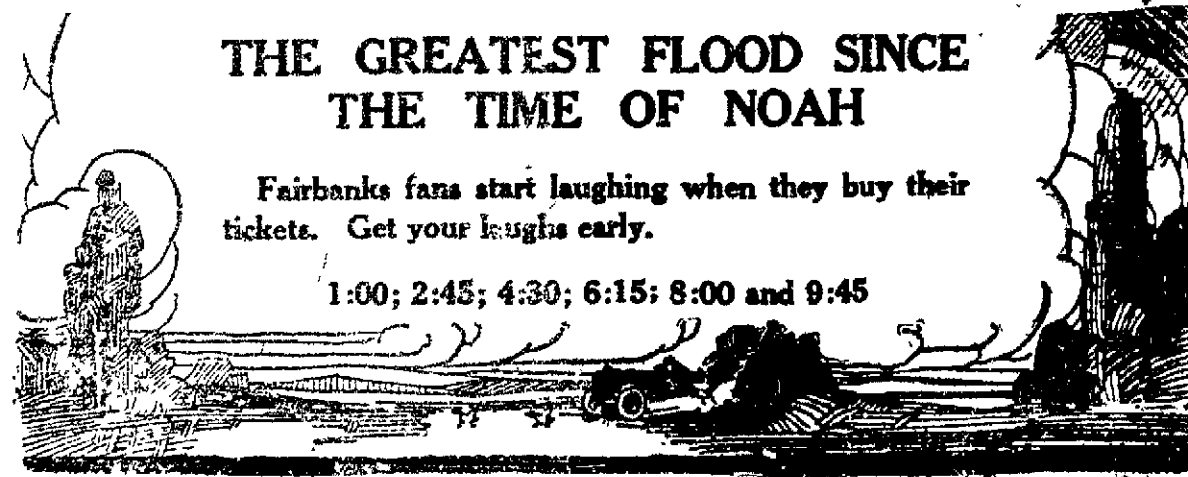
FOLKS here is a picture to brag about because it is simply bubbling over with clean cut, good natured fun. The genial "Doug" did not overlook the thrills either and you'll find 'em in bunches in this extraordinary photoplay.

AMONG OTHER THINGS YOU WILL SEE

THE GREATEST FLOOD SINCE
THE TIME OF NOAH

Fairbanks fans start laughing when they buy their tickets. Get your laughs early.

1:00; 2:45; 4:30; 6:15; 8:00 and 9:45



LEADING ISSUES GO HIGHER

LIBERTY BONDS
(Courtesy of The Wheatley Co.)

First 1/2	100.10
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Fifth 1/2	99.30
Sixth 1/2	99.10
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Eighth 1/2	98.70
Ninth 1/2	98.50
Tenth 1/2	98.30

NEW YORK—Leading issues were considerably higher at the opening of the stock market Friday. United States Steel opened at 107, up 1/2; Baldwin at 114 1/2, up 1/2; Republic at 123 1/2, up 1/2; Mexican Petroleum at 217 1/2, up 1/2; Industrial Alcohol at 113 1/2, up 1/2; Standard Oil at 110 1/2, up 1/2; United States Rubber at 110 1/2, up 1/2; Bethlehem Steel at 98 1/2, up 1/2; Canadian Woolen at 165 1/2, up 1/2; Canadian Pacific at 132 1/2, up 1/2; American at 105 1/2, up 1/2; and Anaconda at 63 1/2, up 1/2.

Automobile shares were market leaders during the first half hour. Studebaker was most active selling above 111.

International Paper made a new high record of 83 and United States Realty advanced 5 points. Call money renewed at 15 per cent.

Demand for Standard Oil stocks featured the trading. These stocks advanced with ease, indicating the stock is scarce. The Standard Oil company of New Jersey sold up to 735, up 6; Imperial Oil, up 15; Standard of New York, up 48, up 1; and of California, up 38, up 12.

Republic Steel rose 6 points to 223. Other strong spots were Stromberg Carlson which rose 7 1/2 to 86 1/2 and Consolidated Gas which was up more than 6 to 87 1/2. The Tobacco group was strong.

The market closed higher. Call money loaned as low as six per cent during the last half hour and shorts rushed to cover. Baldwin was dumped above 116, while American International, made a new high on the move above 119. Barrett, National Amalgam were both in demand. Mexican Petroleum which was soft early in the day advanced 9 points to 222. Pan-American jumped 3 points. Retail Stores sold up to 95 1/2.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS
Reported by E. W. Wagner & Co., Inc., Holland Block, Lima, Ohio.

STOCKS: Bid Ask

Amalgamated Oil Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
The Atlantic Refining Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Borneo-Sumatra Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
The Buckeye Pipe Line 125 1/2 126 1/2
Cheapeake & Ohio 125 1/2 126 1/2
Continental Oil Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
The Crescent Pipe Line Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Cumberland Pipe Line 125 1/2 126 1/2
Eureka Pipe Line 125 1/2 126 1/2
Galena-S. O. (Com.) 125 1/2 126 1/2
Galena-S. O. (Ind.) 125 1/2 126 1/2
Indiana Pipe Line 125 1/2 126 1/2
National Transit Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
New York Transit 125 1/2 126 1/2
Northern Pipe Line 125 1/2 126 1/2
Ohio Oil Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Penn. M. & E. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Prairie Oil & Gas 125 1/2 126 1/2
Prairie L. & L. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Solar Refining Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Southern Pipe Line 125 1/2 126 1/2
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Swan & Finch Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2
Union Carbide 125 1/2 126 1/2
Washington Oil Co. 125 1/2 126 1/2

AMBUANCE REMOVALS
The City Undertaking company made these removals.

Jack Rossier from St. Rita's hospital to 922 North Jefferson street.

Chester Parent from Kemp to the City hospital.

Orville Banne from 515 South Main street to the City hospital.

Mrs. P. W. Shane was removed from the City hospital to her home at 955 North Elm street in the Schuller and Lynch ambulance.

G. A. R. NOTICE
Mart Armstrong Post No. 202 G. A. R. will meet at Post room, Memorial Hall, Saturday Jan. 3 at 3 p. m. W. D. HEFFNER, Com.

CLEVELAND LIVE STOCK
Hogs, receipts 1000; market slow. Yorkers 15.00; mixed 17.00; medium 18.00; pigs 15.00; roughs 13.00; stages 10.00; little receipts 1000; market steady. Sheep and lambs, receipts 1000; market 10.00; lower, top 18.00; calves, receipts 20; market 20.00; lower, top 21.00.

TOLEDO GRAIN
TOLEDO — Close Corn No. 2 1 1/4; Oats No. 2 1 1/4; Barley No. 2 1 1/4; Rye No. 2 1 1/4; Clover seed, cash Dec. and Jan. 21.00; Feb. 21.70; March 22.00; April 22.50; Timothy cash 19.17; 1915, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1916, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1917, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1918, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1919, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1920, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1921, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1922, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1923, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1924, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1925, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1926, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1927, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1928, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1929, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1930, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1931, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1932, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1933, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1934, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1935, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1936, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1937, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1938, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1939, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1940, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1941, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1942, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1943, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1944, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1945, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1946, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1947, 5.00; cash 19.17; 1948, 5.00; cash 19.17; 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LEADING ISSUES GO HIGHER

LIBERTY BONDS
(Courtesy of The Wheatley Co.)
First 4 1/2% 110.10
Second 4 1/2% 109.30
Third 4 1/2% 108.50
Fourth 4 1/2% 107.70
Fifth 4 1/2% 106.90
Sixth 4 1/2% 106.10
Seventh 4 1/2% 105.30
Eighth 4 1/2% 104.50
Ninth 4 1/2% 103.70
Tenth 4 1/2% 102.90

NEW YORK—Leading issues were considerably higher at the opening of the stock market Friday. United States Steel opened at 107 1/2, up 1/2; Baldwin at 114 1/2, up 1/2; International Paper at 81, up 1/2; American Locomotive at 102, up 1/2; Republic at 123 1/2, up 1/2; Mexican Petroleum at 217 1/2, up 1/2; Industrial Alcohol at 113 1/2, up 1/2; Studebaker at 110 1/2, up 1/2; United States Rubber at 138 1/2, up 1/2; Bethlehem Steel at 98 1/2, up 1/2; American Can at 105 1/2, up 1/2; Canadian Pacific at 132 1/2, up 1/2; Pan-American at 105 1/2, up 1/2; and Anaconda at 63 1/2, up 1/2.

Automobile shares were "marked leaders" during the first half hour. Studebaker was most active, selling above 111.

International Paper made a new high record of 83 and United States Realty advanced 5 points. Call money renewed at 15 per cent.

Demand for Standard Oil stocks featured the trading. These stocks advanced with ease, indicating the stock is scarce. The Standard Oil company of New Jersey sold up to 73 1/2, up 1/2; Imperial Oil 140, up 1/2; Standard of New York 45 1/2, up 1/2; and of California 32 1/2, up 1/2.

Republic Steel rose 6 points to 223. Other strong spots were Stromberg Carlson which rose 7 1/2 to 6 1/2 and Consolidated Gas which was up more than 6 to 8 1/2. The Tobacco group was strong.

The market closed higher. Call money loaned as low as six per cent during the last half hour and shorts rushed to cover. Baldwin was dumped above 116, while American International made a new high.

Call money moved above 119. Barrett National and National Amalgam were both in demand. Mexican Petroleum which was soft early in the day advanced 9 points to 222. Pan-American jumped 3 points. Retail Stores sold up to 55 1/2.

STANDARD OIL STOCKS
Reported by E. W. Wagner & Co., Inc., Holland Block, Lima, Ohio.

Gulcke Pipe Line	1331 145	
Gulf-S. S. Oil Co. (Conn.)	81	84
Gulf-S. S. Oil Co. (Pfd.)	107 1/2	110
Illinois Pipe Line	93	100
Indiana Pipe Line	93	100
National Transit Co.	100	112
New York Transit	170	185
Northern Pipe Line	100	112
Ohio Oil Co.	313	325
Penn. Mex. Fuel	600	615
Pratt & Clute	600	680
Pratt & Clute & L. Co.	263	271
Solar Refining	260	270
Southern Pipe Line	100	112
South Penn. Oil Co.	320	335
South West Pa. Oil Co.	93	100
Standard Oil Co. (Conn.)	125	135
Standard Oil Co. (Ind.)	125	135
Standard Oil Co. (Kansas)	625	670
Standard Oil Co. (Ky.)	425	450
Standard Oil Co. (La.)	225	235
Standard Oil Co. (N. J.)	725	730
Standard Oil Co. (N. Y.)	100	112
Standard Oil Co. (Ohio)	130	145
Swan & Finch Co.	140	155
Tenon Tank Line	117	123
Union Oil Co.	38	40

Short Shavings

Two Irishmen who had tried in vain to learn French arrived at their first billet on French soil and began exploring the little town.

The first attention was attracted to a child who was jabbering as fast as her tongue would allow.

The two Irishmen gazed with admiration, their mouths wide open; then Terry said, "Pat, will ye listen

just what everybody's doing now to the blint way that foreigner kid talks the damned language?"

They met at a dance. He was tall and stalwart, she—oh, so sweet. They jizzed, they one hoed, they two-whirled, they—well, they did

After the seventh dance with his charmer the young fellow stopped suddenly and glanced suspiciously round.

"It's funny, Mabel," he said. "See the glum-looking chap over there? He's been following us about all the

time. Who is he and what's he after?"

"Who—that miserable, half-starved fellow in the spotted red tie?" remarked Mabel, casually.

"Don't worry about him, he's only the fellow who paid for me to come

in."

"Guess I'll have to go without any sugar at dinner."

"Couldn't you get any?"

"It isn't that. I have quite a little. But I've lost the key to my

safe deposit box."

"Was your first meeting with your wife romantic?"

"Naw. We used to make faces at each other over the back fence when we were kids."

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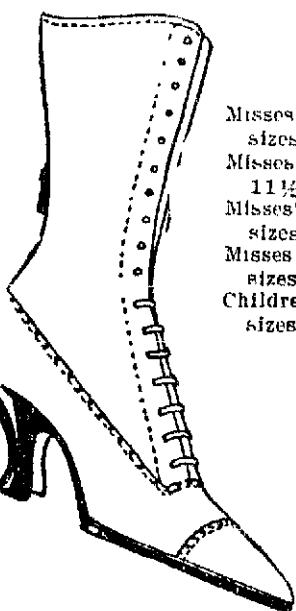
WOMEN'S

RACK NO. 1 —Women's Black Kid Lace, 8-inch tops, high Louis heels, invisible eyelets, sizes 3 to 6½; \$7.00 value—all go	\$4.89
RACK NO. 2 —Women's All Gray Kid Lace, cloth tops to match—9 inch tops, Louis heels. \$8.00 value—all go	\$3.98
RACK NO. 3 —Women's Black Kid Nurse Shoes, rubber heels, very easy worth \$4.95—"All go"	\$3.89
RACK NO. 4 —Women's Black Kid Lace Dress Shoes, high Louis heels \$6.50 values—all go	\$3.98
RACK NO. 5 —Women's Brown Kid Lace, high Louis covered heels, medium soles, \$8 values	\$4.89
RACK NO. 6 —Women's Gray Kid Lace, high Louis heels, invisible eyelets, \$6.95 values—all go	\$3.89
RACK NO. 7 —Women's Tan Russian Calf, \$3.89 English Lace, low heel, invisible eyelets; \$6.95 values—all go	\$4.98
RACK NO. 8 —Women's Gun Metal English Lace Low Heel Shoes, \$5.00 values—all go	\$3.89
RACK NO. 9 —Women's Gun Metal English Lace, invisible eyelets, "extra value, worth \$7.95—all go	\$4.89
RACK NO. 10 —Women's Brown Kid Lace, "Golden Brown" High Louis Heels. "Very dressy" \$9.00 values—all go	\$6.89
RACK NO. 11 —Women's Dull Kid Lace, high Louis heels. An extra good value, worth \$8.00—all go	\$5.89
RACK NO. 12 —Women's Tan English Kid Lace Low Louis heel Walking Shoes, \$7.00 values—all go	\$4.89
RACK NO. 13 —Women's Black Kid Lace, Plain Toe, Rubber Heels, Old Ladies' Comfort, worth \$6.00—all go	\$3.89

WOMEN'S NURSE AND HOUSE SHOES

Black Kid Julietts, rubber heels, turn soles, \$3.95 values	\$2.98
Black Kid Boudoir Slippers with "Pom Pom", \$2.50 values	\$1.75
Black Kid 2-strap Hand Turn Slippers, \$3.49 values	\$2.39
Black Kid 1-Strap Slippers, extra values, all go	\$2.19

Misses' and Children's Boys' and Girls'



Misses' Gun Metal Lace, a good Shoe, sizes 11½ to 2	\$1.98
Misses' Tan Lace, all leather, "some values" 11½ to 2—all go	\$2.89
Misses' Patent English Lace Kid Tops, sizes 11½ to 2—all go at	\$3.49
Misses' Patent Lace, Brown Kid tops, sizes 11½ to 2—all go at	\$3.69
Children's Gun Metal Lace, sizes 8½ to 11—all go at	\$1.49

Children's Tan "Billikin" Shoes, sizes 8½ to 11—all go	\$2.10
Children's 5 to 8 Kid Button Dress Shoes, all go at	\$1.49
Infant's 1 to 5 "First Step" Patent Button—at	\$1.90
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RACK NO. 1 —Men's Gun Metal English Lace Dress Shoes, welt sewed, \$7.00 values, all go	\$4.89
RACK NO. 2 —Men's Gun Metal Blucher Dress Shoes, \$6.00 values, all go	\$3.89
RACK NO. 3 —Men's Gun Metal Button Dress Shoes, welt sewed, \$5.50 values—all go	\$3.49
RACK NO. 4 —Men's Tan English Lace Dress Shoes, \$7.00 values—all go	\$5.49
RACK NO. 5 —Men's Tan Blucher Dress Shoes, Extra values at \$7.00—all go	\$5.49
RACK NO. 6 —Men's Gun Metal Blucher "Freak Toe," welt sewed Dress Shoes, extra values at \$7.50—all go	\$5.69
RACK NO. 7 —Men's Gun Metal Blucher Dress Shoes, medium toes, welt sewed \$7.50 values all go	\$5.69
RACK NO. 8 —Men's Vici Kid Blucher Dress Shoes, \$7.50 values—all go	\$5.69
RACK NO. 9 —Men's Tan English Lace Dress Shoes, welt sewed, \$8.00 values, all go	\$5.89

MEN'S GOOD WORK SHOES "ALL GO"

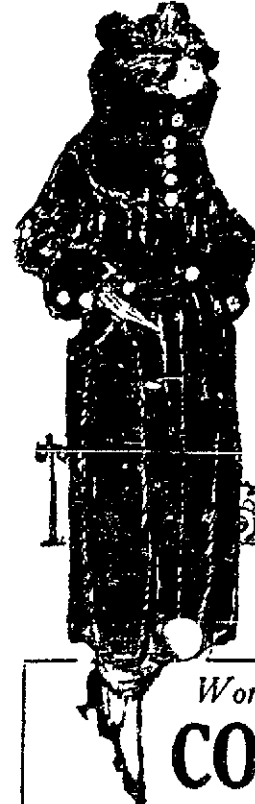
RACK NO. 10 —Men's Black Calf Work Shoes, Extra values	\$3.39
RACK NO. 11 —Men's Tan Mule Skin Outing Shoes, All go	\$1.98
RACK NO. 12 —Men's High Cut and several other styles of work shoes, "All Go" at Greatly Reduced Prices.	

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Savings of 15% to 25%
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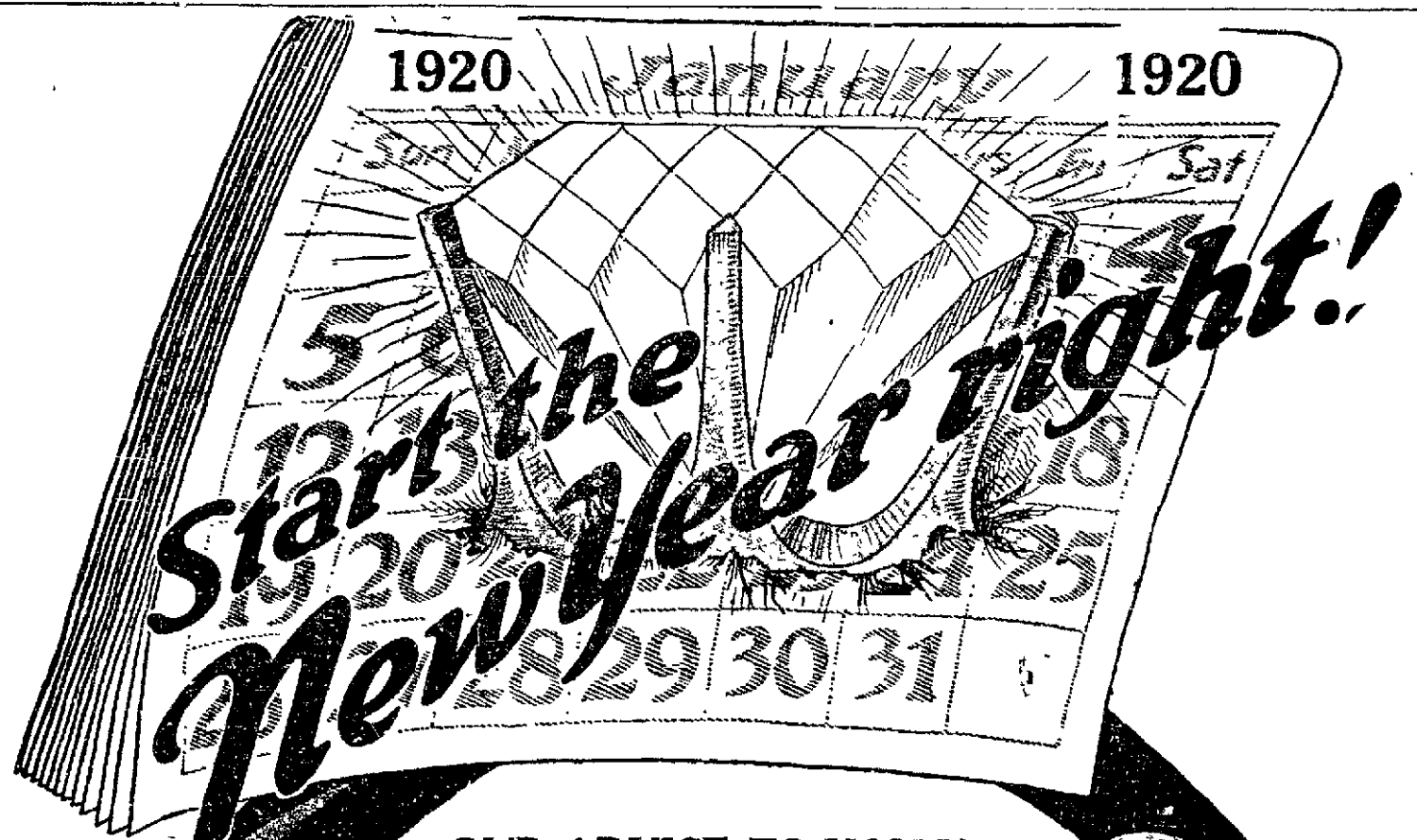
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